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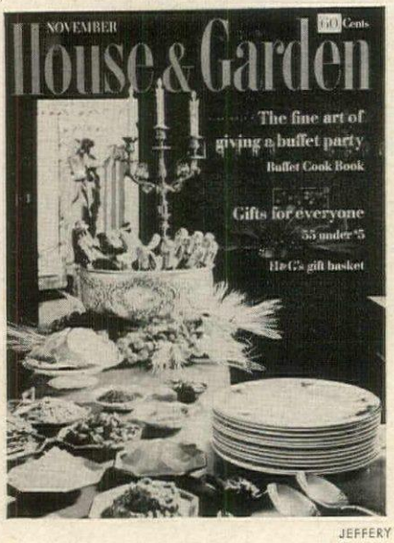


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On the cover:

The bountiful nature of the buffet is manifest in a party setting at the home of James A. Beard. Flame Formica countertop which converts the kitchen cooking island (see page 208) into a buffet for serving is an up-to-date version of the traditional groaning board from which guests help themselves to a main course of chicken curry, rice and condiments with a choice of bottled beer or splits of champagne kept cold in a vast silver punch bowl. Grape, wheat and acorn decorations around punch bowl base are repeated in living-dining room, glimpsed in the background, where diners sit down to eat. (For a full view of the party, see page 162.) Royal Doulton "Burgundy" plates, Christofle "Coquille" sterling flatware, decorations by Elise Platt. For shopping information turn to page 230.



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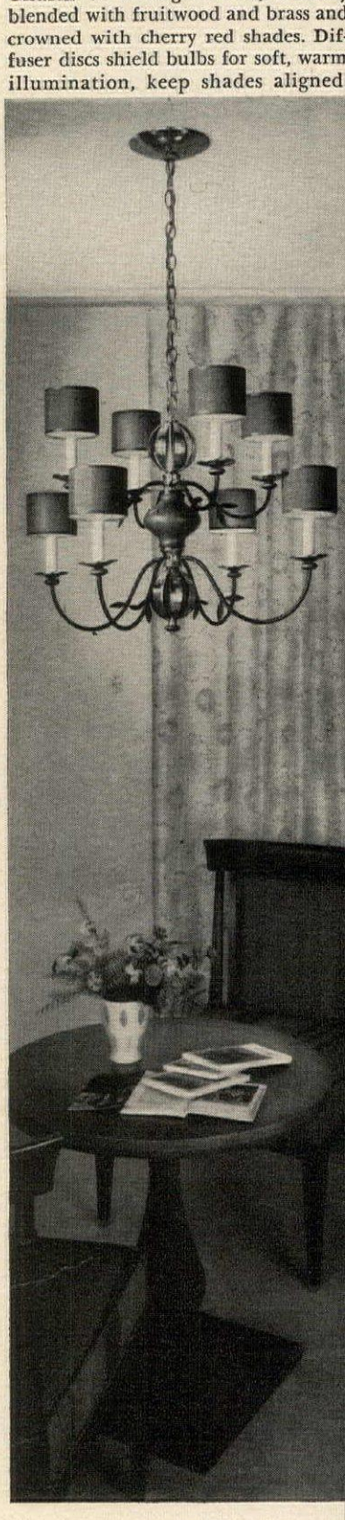
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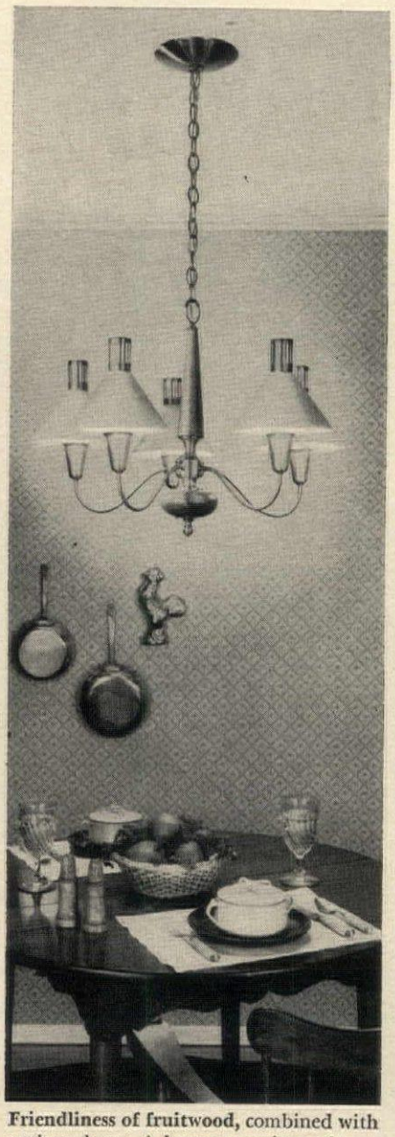
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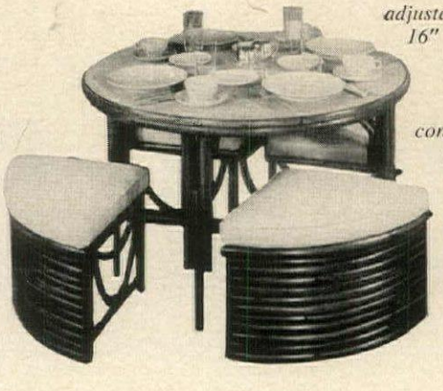
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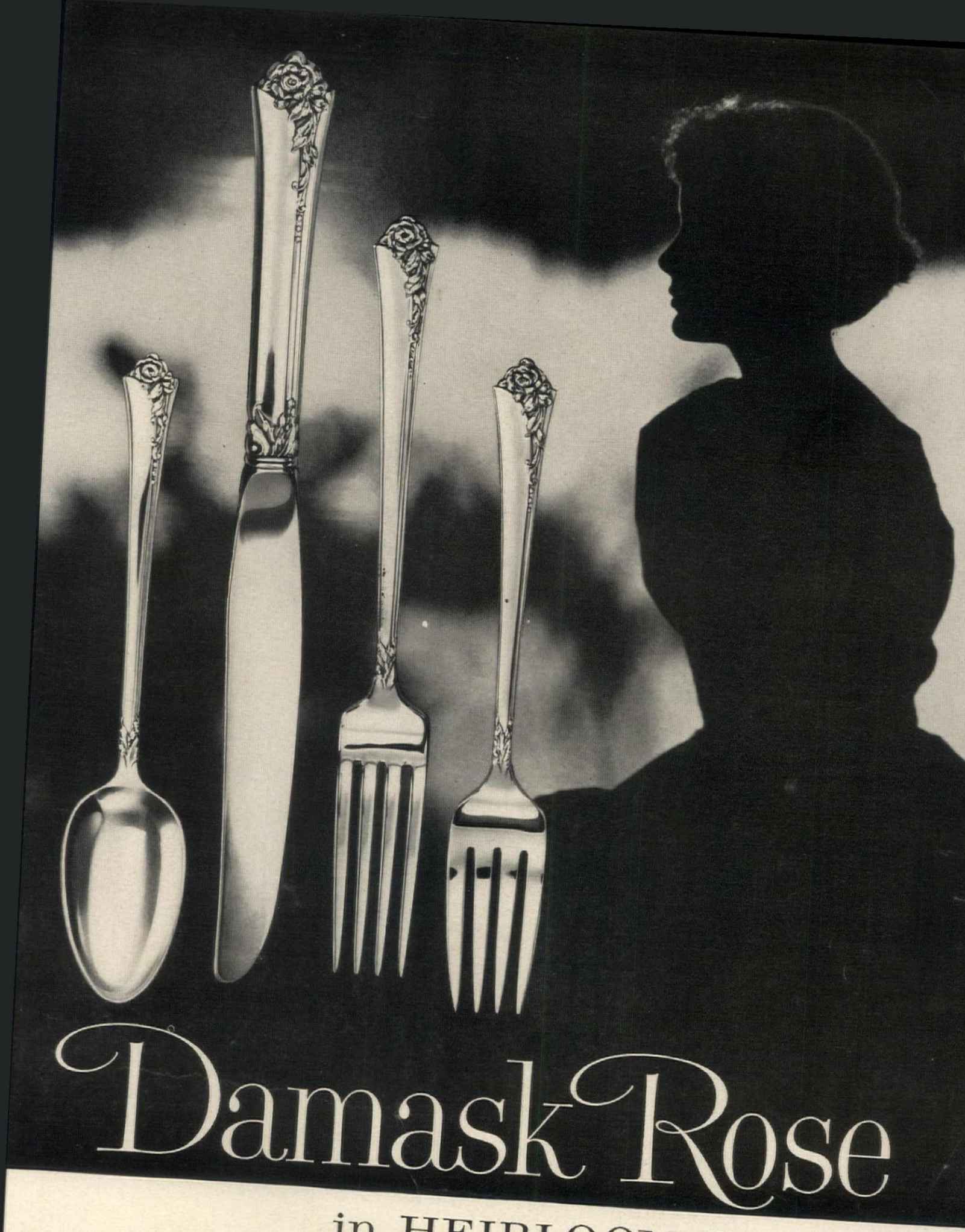
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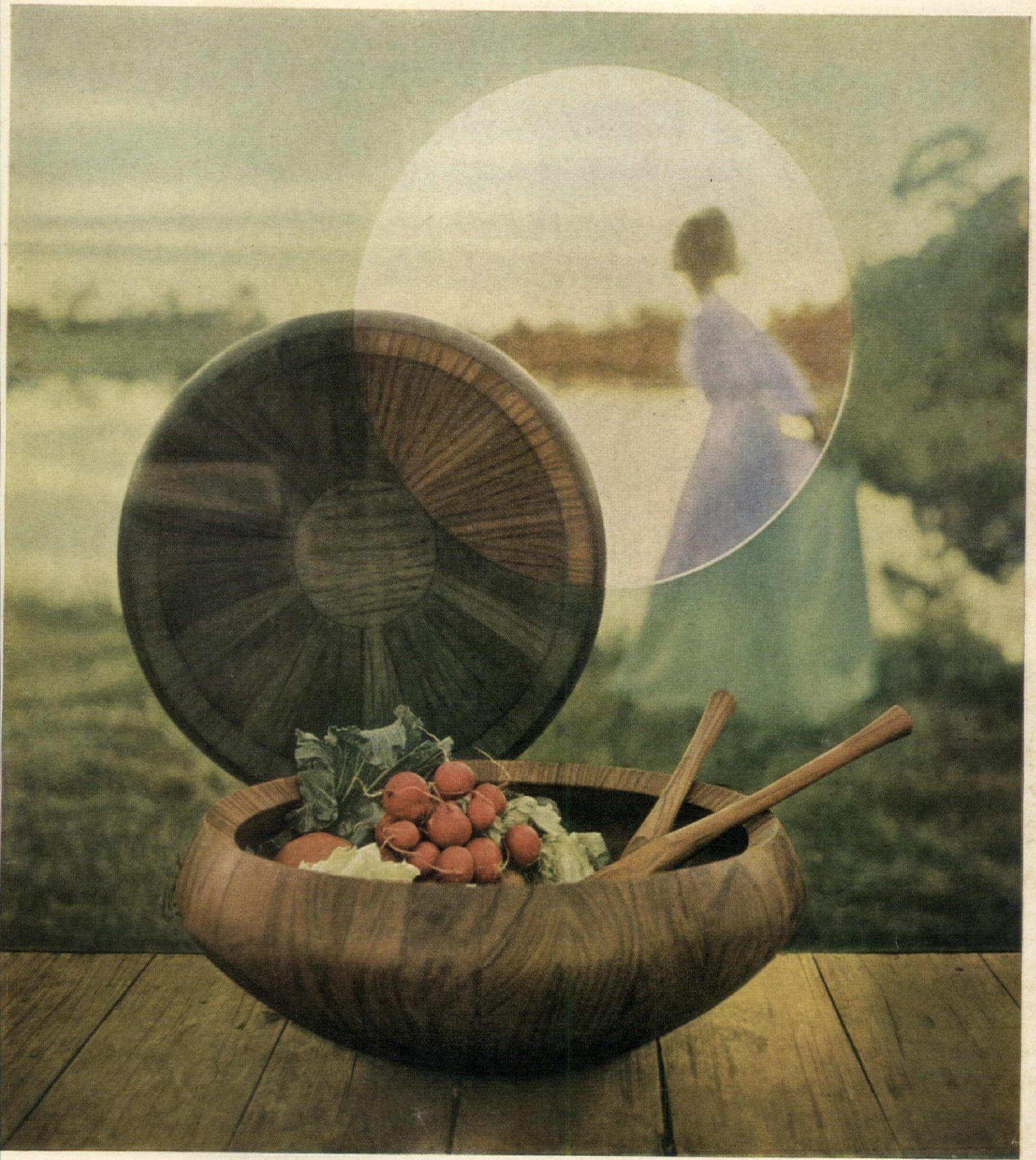


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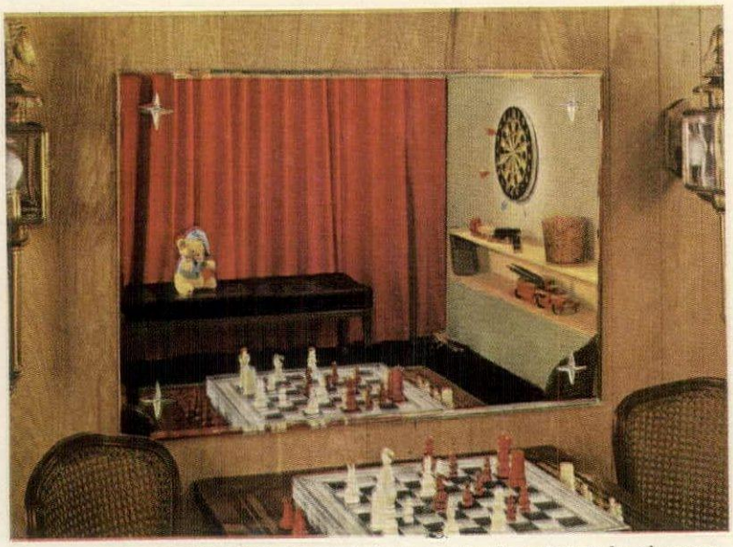
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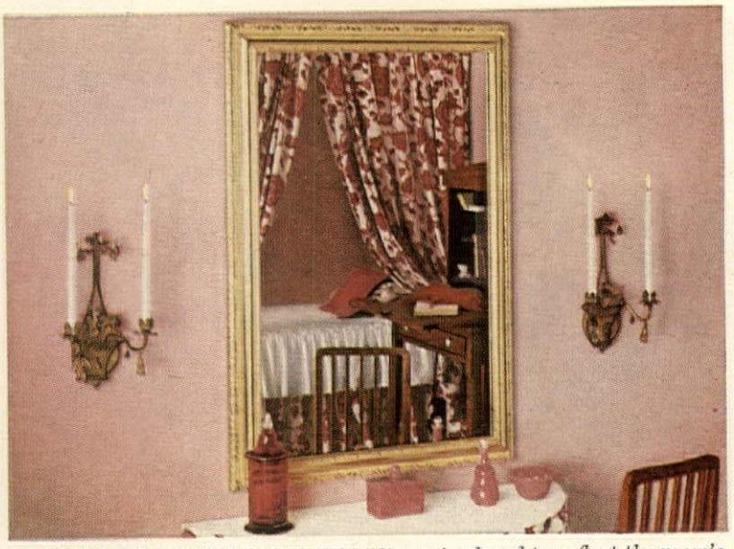
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A HIGH-FIDELITY Mirror makes any narrow room seem wider and adds a bright, happy note of elegance to a plain wall. MIRROR BY STROUPE.



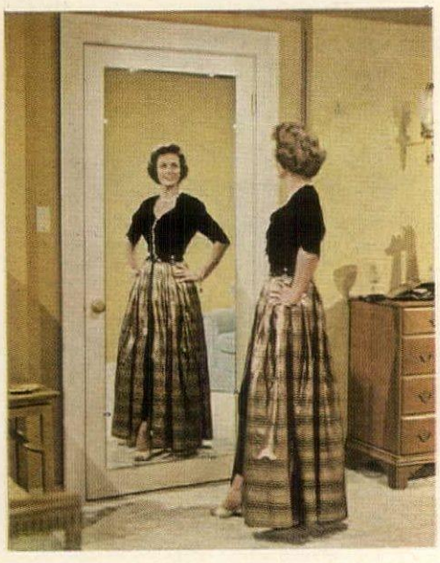
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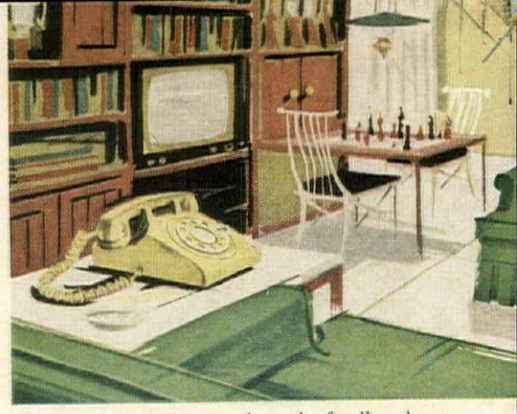


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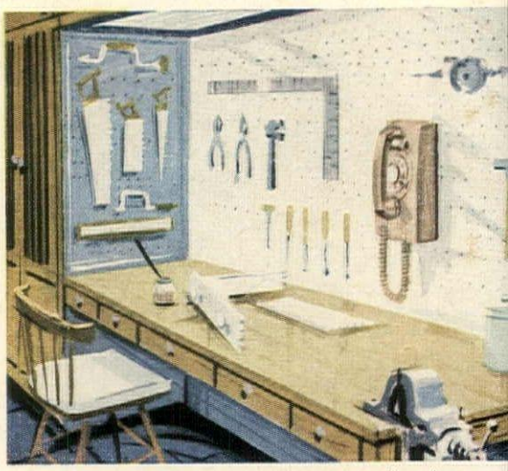
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Winter brings so much to plan, so much to do! And in the thick of all your family's activities will be the telephone.

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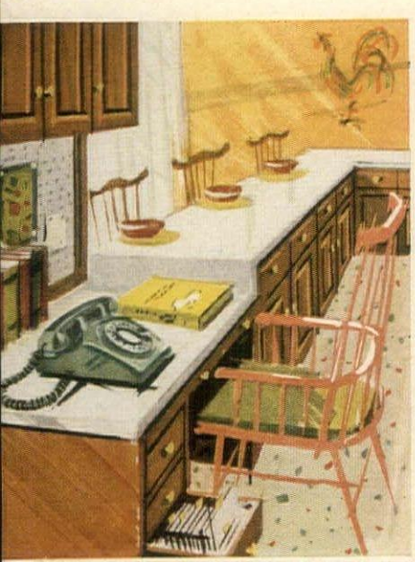
For instance, pick locations where individuals spend a lot of time . . . bedrooms, the kitchen, a basement workshop. And also where the family gets together . . . the den, the living room and the game room.

For every location you choose, you'll find telephones in color that fit in beautifully. Extensions are surprisingly low in cost and very easy to order: just call or visit your Bell Telephone business office.

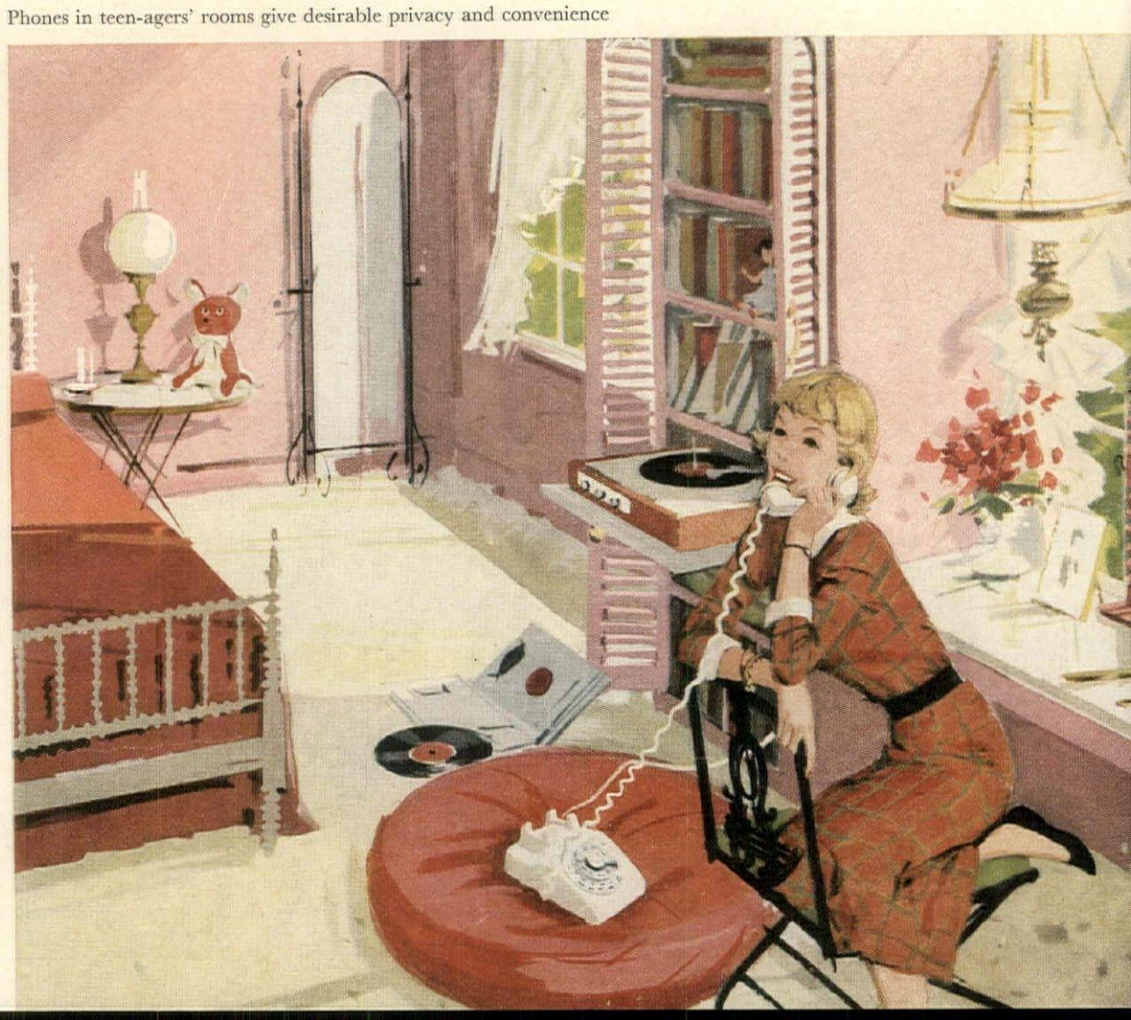


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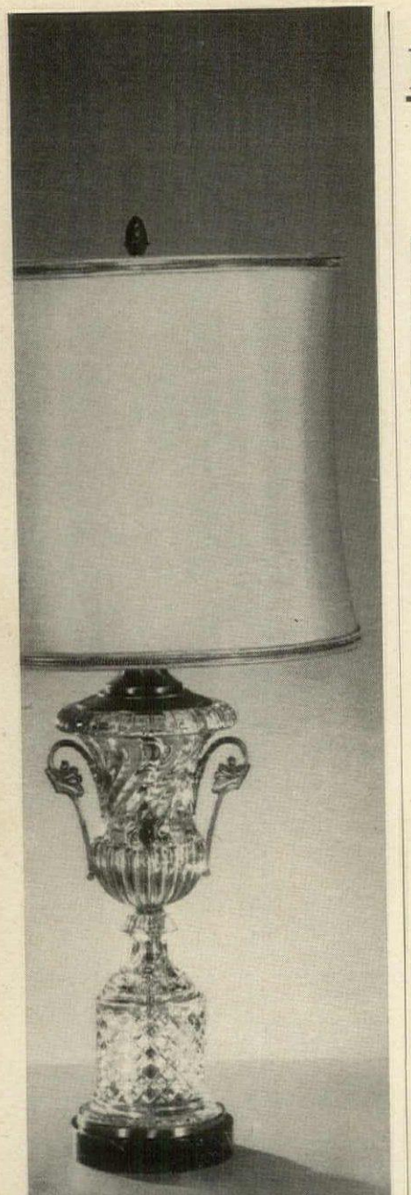
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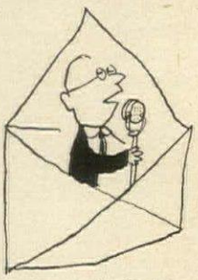
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What's in store for your home: new products, ideas and trends

• Today's new skylights, far from being a blue sky idea, are economical and sufficiently foolproof for any room in the house. Skylights are a great boon to planning since they allow bath or utility rooms to be placed in the center of the house with all the main rooms around the perimeter to take advantage of a view. Opaque, heat-resistant skylights can be used where sun is a problem, clear lights elsewhere.

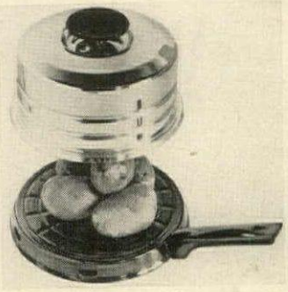


• *This hand-sized electric knife sharpener is quick to put a keen edge on household knives. Not a grinder, the Electric Hone's gentle honing action (7,200 strokes a minute) does the job as you draw the knife through the guide slots. Sharpener unplugs after use to store easily in a drawer. Burgess Vibrocrafters, Inc., Grayslake, Ill.*

If you're all thumbs when it comes to whipping ribbons into pretty shapes, try pre-tied bows of glistening, practically crush-proof Lurex in gay colors for your Christmas packages. A handy stick-on backing makes them easy to attach. Ben-Mont Papers, Inc., Bennington, Vt.

• Latest addition to the salad dressing repertoire is Hawaiian Dressing, made with pineapple juice, wine vinegar, herbs and spices. This sweet-sour dressing is also an excellent marinade for many meats and for chicken. Lawry's Foods, Inc., P.O. Box 2572, Los Angeles 54, Calif.

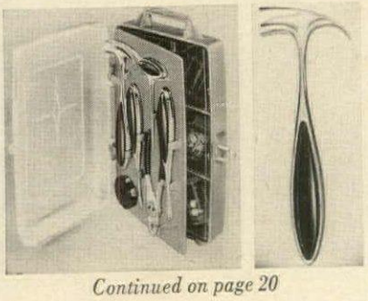
Now you can bake a potato or heat rolls right on top of the stove—over a gas flame or electric burner. The Flame-Tamer base alone harnesses the heat so that a pot can simmer safely for hours; just add the Oven-Ette top and a miniature oven is ready to do a multitude of small baking tasks. Tricolator Manufacturing Co., Bellmore, N. Y.



• *Progress note on pie baking in aluminum foil pans: The brightly colored red, blue and green finishes on Alcoa pans and the black bottom on Ekco pans both promote heat absorption and produce pie crusts that are crisp and browned.*

• The ringing of the telephone may soon be real music to your ears when a Bell Chime is installed in your home. Placed separately from the phone—easily audible wherever you are—this tiny fixture may be switched to a choice of three different signals: chimes, soft bell or loud bell. Bell Telephone System, 195 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Ready or not, look ahead to push-button sandwiches. A new federal ruling clears the way for packaging a broad range of food products —relishes, cheese and meat spreads, for instance—in aerosol cans.



• A compact tool kit especially designed for women with fix-it talents contains a hammer, pliers, Phillips screw driver and 2 other tools, all with a handsome sculptured look. Also included: a tape, nine tiny bins of nails, tacks, screws. William Thomas & Sons, Inc., Ridgefield, N. J.

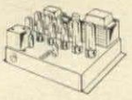
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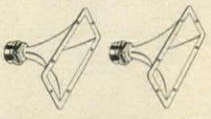
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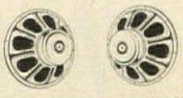
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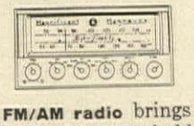
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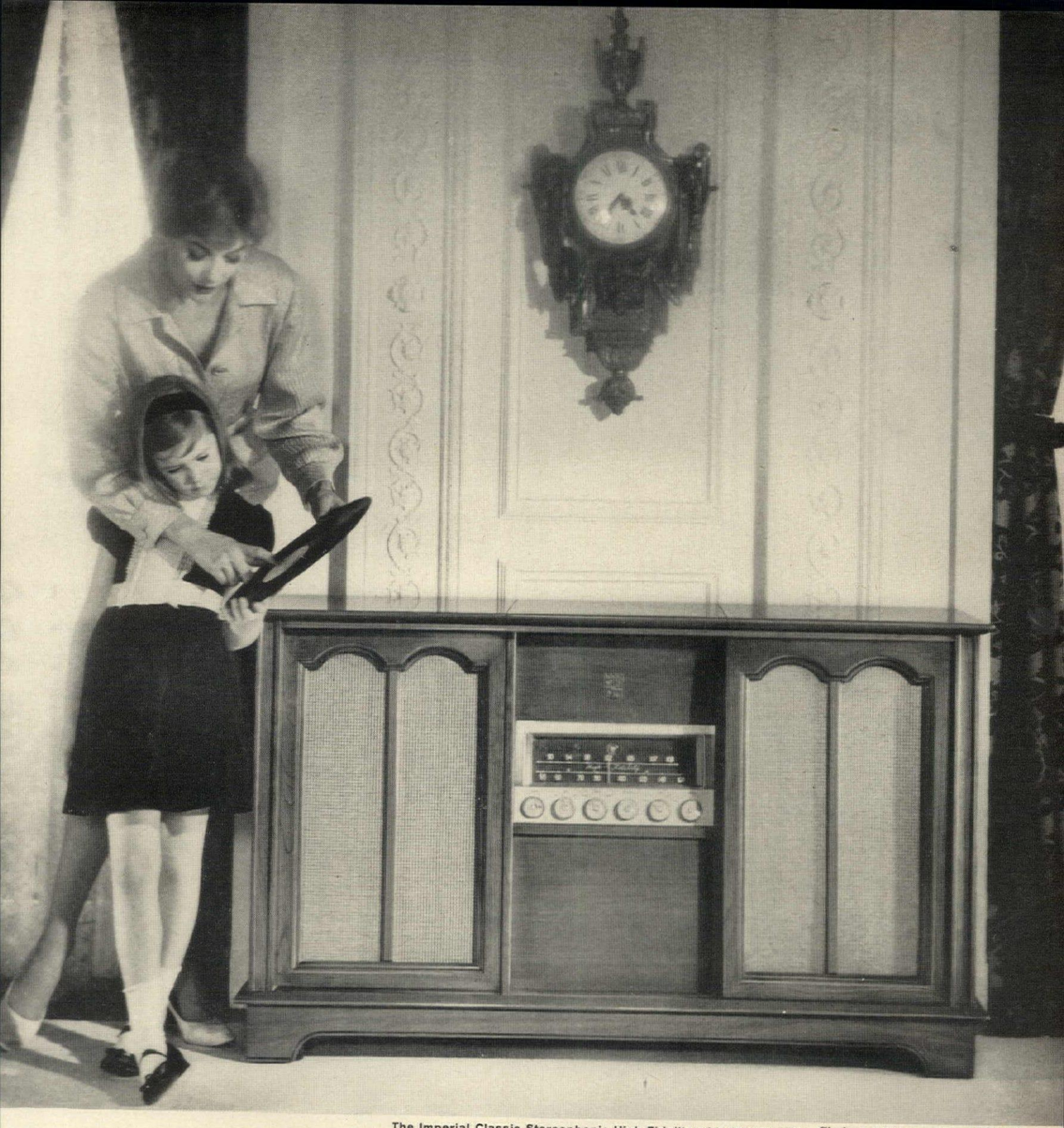


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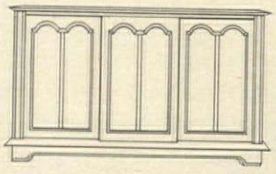


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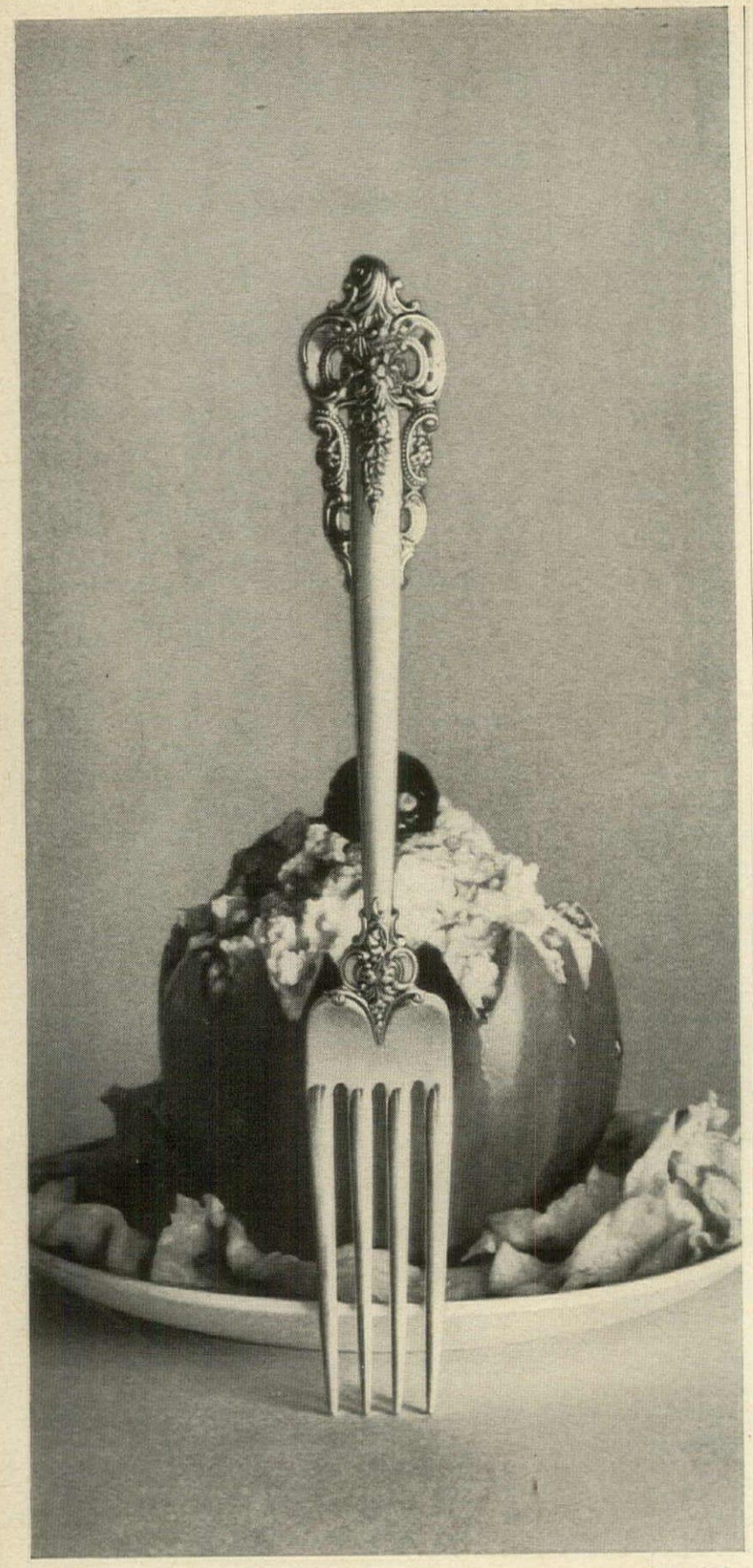
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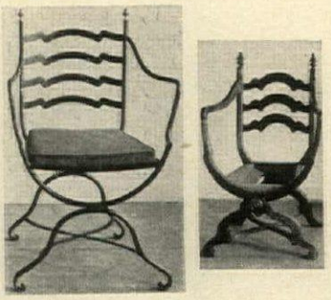
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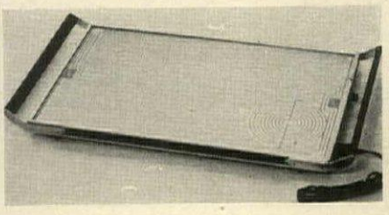
A folding pocket-size viewer powered with batteries lets you show those favorite color transparencies you just happen to have along. Film strips and 35 mm. slides are magnified four times by the snap-up lenses which, incidentally, allow you to view pictures with both eyes open. Eastman Kodak Co., Kingsport, Tenn.

• For exponents of Chinese cookery, there's nothing like growing a fresh harvest of bean sprouts right in your own kitchen cupboard. A tiny foil tray complete with seeds and plant food produces a 3″ high crop in two days' time. Carl Molitor, Box 2275, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.



• *The importance of the 17th-century look (as forecast last January in H&G) continues strong in fabrics and furniture. New evidence: the lines of a wrought-iron chair,* right, *adapted from an antique Spanish chair,* far right. *Graceful adaptation is available in ten vibrant colors in the Arbuck Collection, Gallo Original Iron Works, 401 Park Avenue, Brooklyn 5, N.Y.*

Tarnish-proof silver, long a fond hope of everyone who loves sterling, now is a reality. Tiffany has perfected a finish that will last indefinitely. Limited to hollowware, the finish is unaffected, for example, by foods, salt, a burning cigarette or washing. Above all, the silver retains its original beauty, free from tarnishing, and can be used constantly, displayed decoratively without the continuous care it once demanded. Tiffany & Company, 727 Fifth Avenue, New York 22, N.Y.



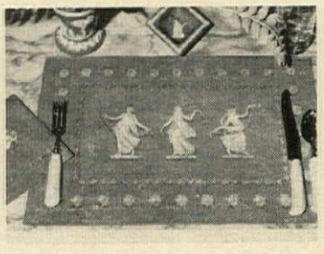
• Coffee bibbers will welcome the "hot spot" on a new heated serving tray, *left.* Some 40° warmer than the rest of the tray, circular area keeps liquids hot. Salton Mfg. Co., 519 East 72nd St., New York 21, N.Y.



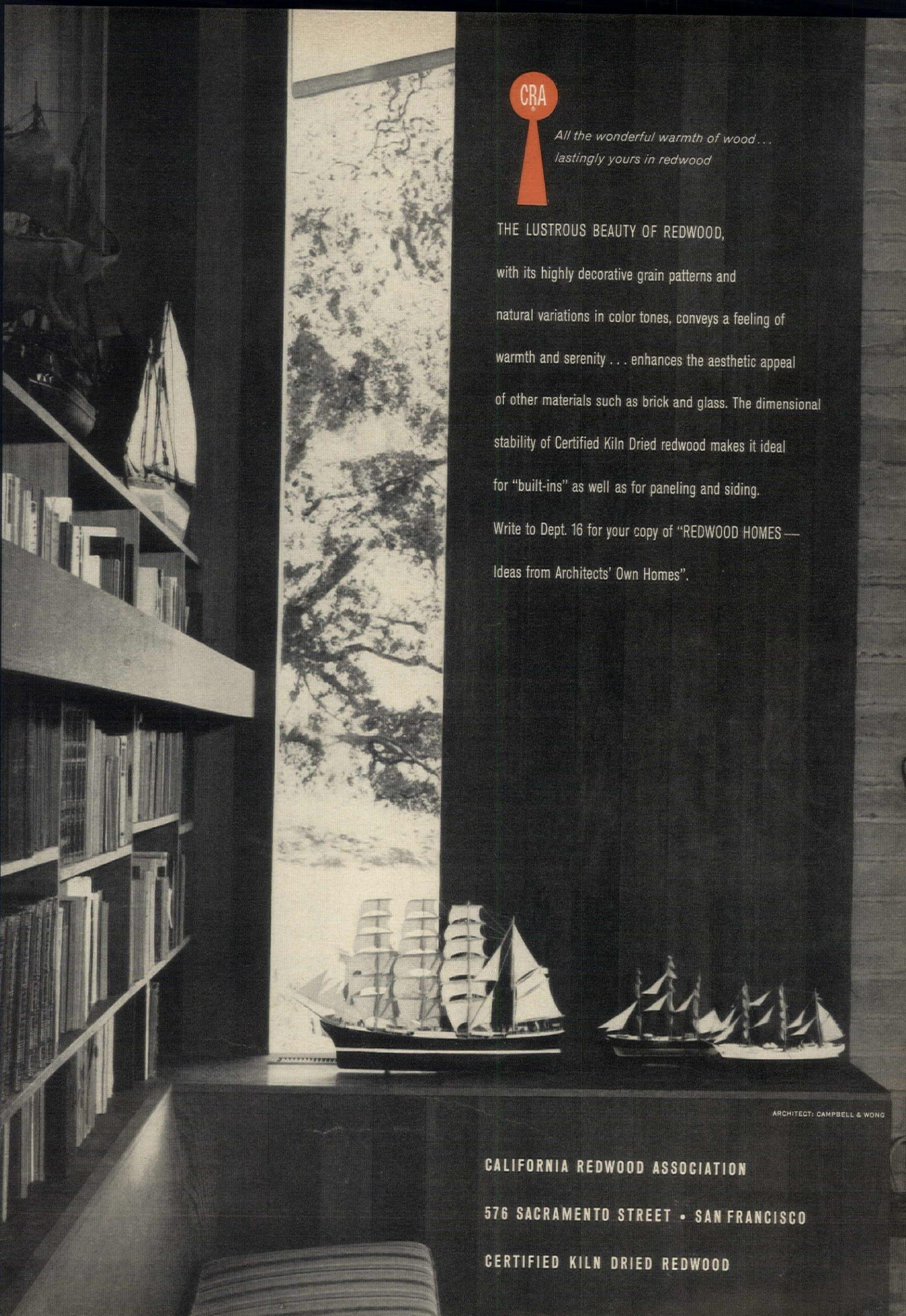
UNICEF greeting cards published by the United Nations Children's Fund are back again for their tenth straight year, brighter and gayer than ever. Profits from card sales help sick and needy children all over the world. As always, a wide range of designs has been contributed by such artists as Chagall, Tamayo, Miro, Nakayama. The dancing Indian children "Los Niños" is by Ted de Grazia (*above*). For illustrated folder write to U.S. Committee for UNICEF Greeting Cards, P.O. Box 22, Church Street Station, New York 8, N.Y.

• The famous Wedgwood china patterns have now been adapted to linen place mats and napkins. Two outstanding examples, *below:* Strawberry Hill pattern in green, red and pink on natural linen, *left;* classic Grecian pattern Jasper in pale blue, green, charcoal or terra cotta—white relief. Quaker Lace Co., 330 Fifth Avenue, New York 1, N.Y.





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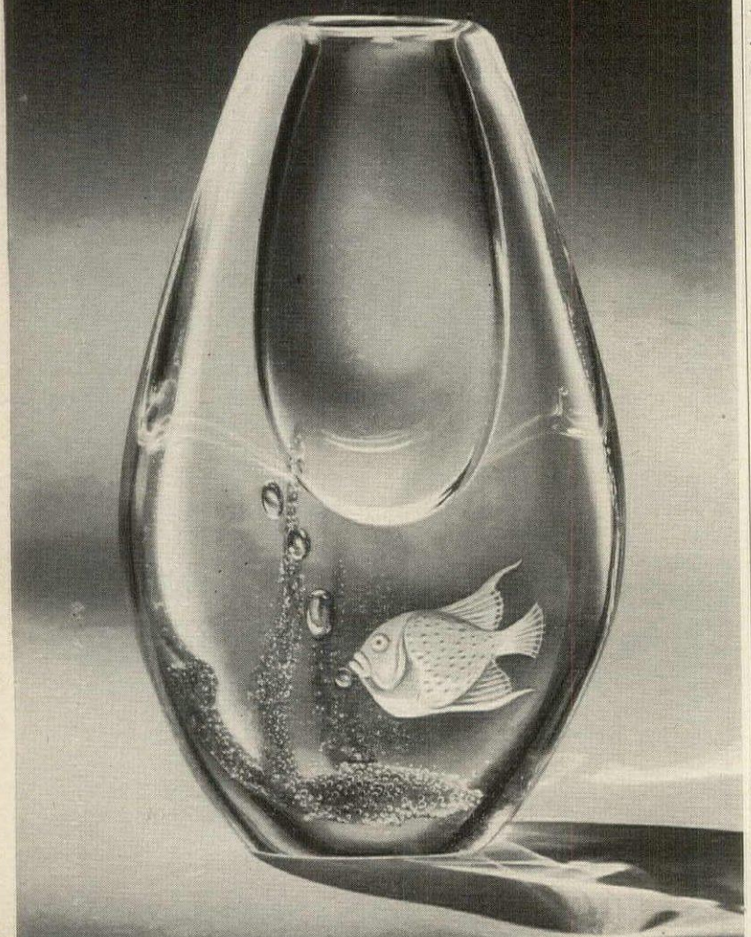
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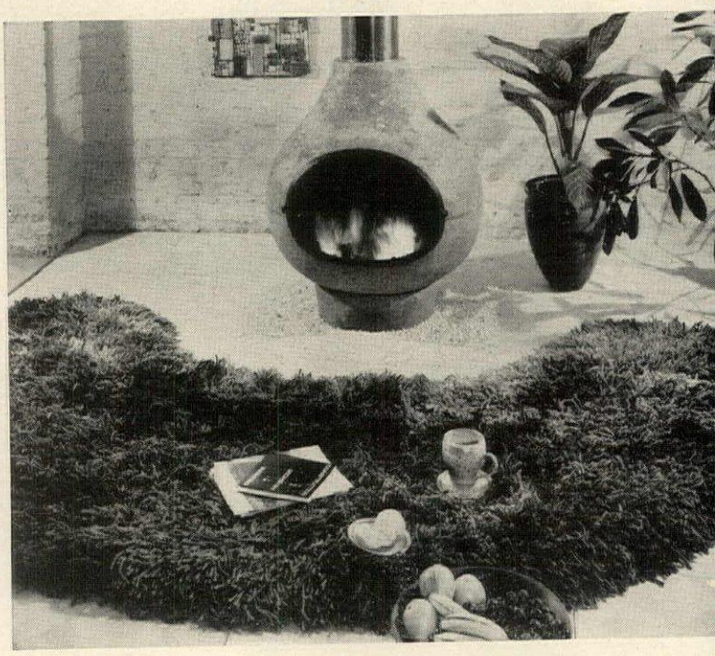
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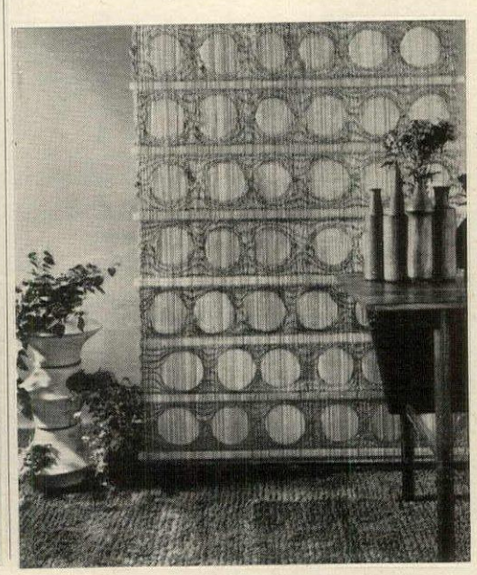
A FRESH SAMPLING OF U.S. CRAFTS

A collection of 114 of the finest examples of American crafts is currently being exhibited around the U.S. by the American Federation of Arts, following a summer showing at New York's Museum of Contemporary Crafts. The exhibition, which contains silver, ceramics, fabrics and tableware, is the result of a nation-wide design competition sponsored by the American Craftsmen's Council in which over 1100 craftsmen entered their work. H&G presents here a sampling of the objects selected for the exhibition, which will be on view in museums across the country on the following dates:

Until Oct. 23: Flint Institute of Arts, Flint, Mich.
Nov. 13-Dec. 4: Municipal Art Gallery, Davenport, Iowa.
Jan. 6-29, 1961: Fine Art Gallery, San Diego, Calif.
April 25-May 15: Arizona State University, Tempe, Ariz.
July 3-Aug. 29: Pensacola Art Center, Pensacola, Fla.
Oct. 10-31: Telfair Academy of Arts & Sciences, Savannah, Ga.



Stoneware fireplace in gray and black by Strawberry Bank Craftsmen illustrates versatility of contemporary crafts. Attractive hearthside companions: crescent-shaped deep pile rug by George Wells; earthenware plant urn by James A. Knecht Jr.

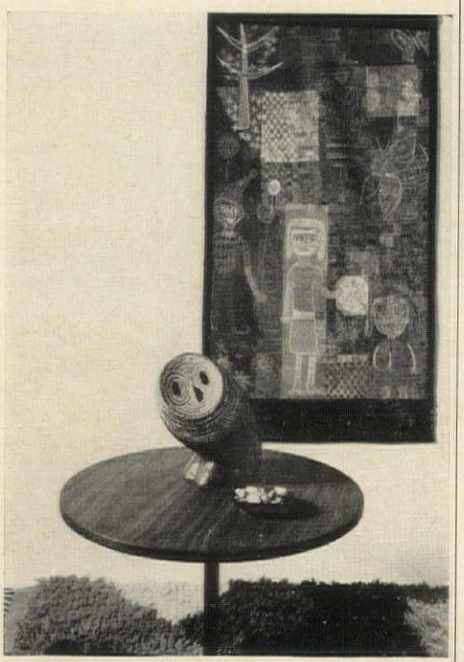


Hand weaves of unusual textures and patterns include a wall hanging, by Ted Hallman, of cotton and linen woven around thin bars and circles of plastic, and a bright-colored *flossa* weave rug by R. A. Abell. Displayed with them, a stoneware planter by Robert Turner and four bottles by Philip A. Ward.



Stoneware collection that would brighten a party table includes: *from left:* set of three casseroles by J. Sheldon Carey; large casserole by James F. McKinnell Jr.; tiered centerpiece by Karen Karnes; small casserole by Marcia Ann Thurston; vase by Dorathee G. Manbeck; eight plates by Nan McKinnell; pitcher and six mugs by Karen Karnes. The silver and ebony serving spoon is by Walter Rhodes.

Touches of humor appear in a gay multicolored wall panel of machine-stitched linen by Francis W. Robinson and a quizzical stoneware owl by M. E. Goslee. Next to owl is free-form bowl of coconut shell by Hovak Najarian. On floor: *rya* weave rug by Donna McGary of wool, linen.



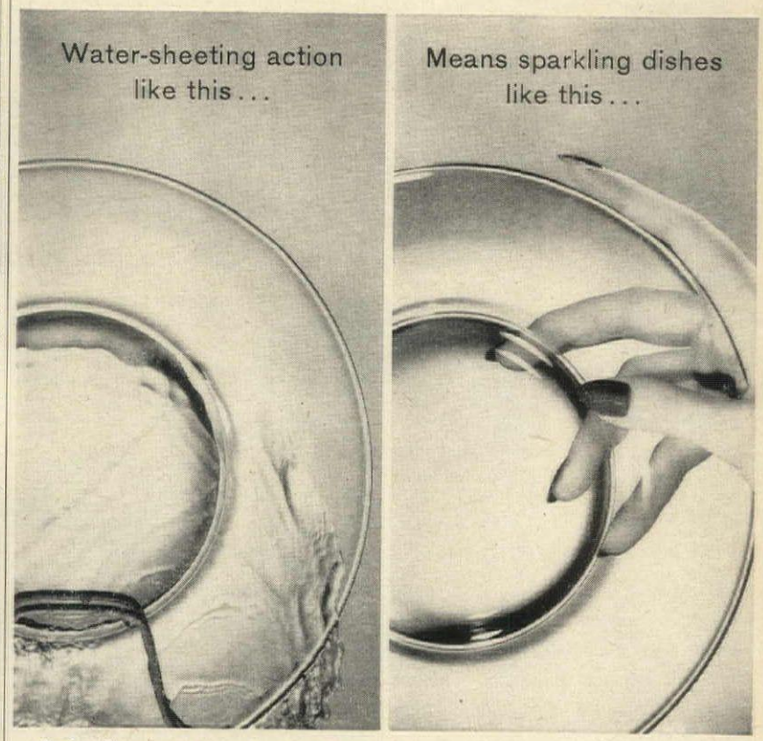
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Sideboard still life highlights sterling silver contemporary coffee pot and creamer by Ruth M. Erickson, who also designed tall silver vase. Embroidered abstract hanging, cotton, jute, on wool background, is made by Marie T. Kelly.

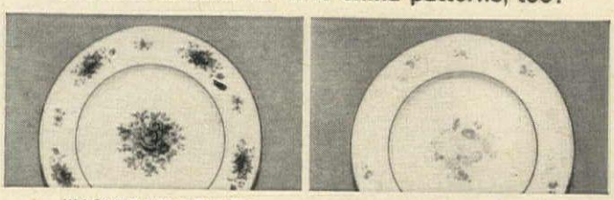
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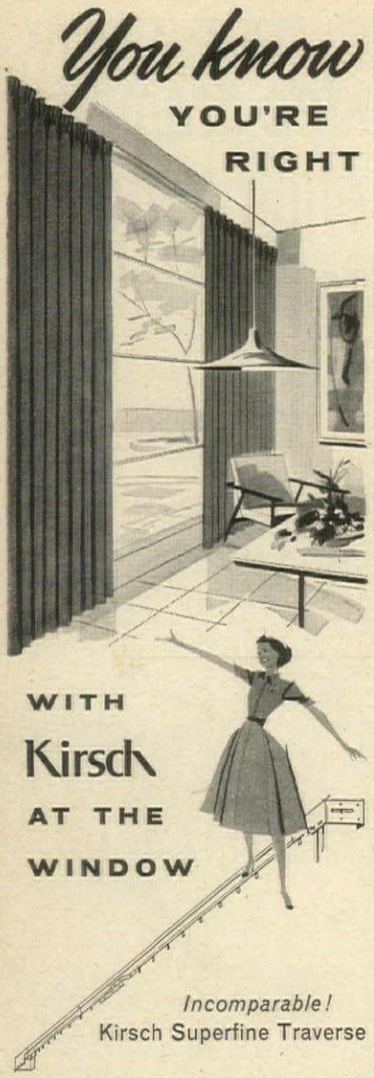
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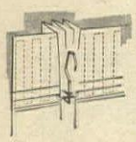
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BY THOMAS H. ORMSBEE

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THREE-WHEEL DOLL CARRIAGE

How old do you think this doll buggy might be? It has the original paint and stencil decoration but the fringe of the adjustable top is missing. I have not found any description of this kind of three-wheel buggy in reference books. *C.W.S.—Des Moines, Iowa*

Doll buggies and baby carriages with three wheels were made between 1840 and 1860. Be careful to preserve the original paint and stencil decoration. The fringe was probably of silk, hand knotted.



NEW ENGLAND MAPLE DESK

Who made this curly maple desk? A Captain E. Thorp, who died in 1795, originally owned it. *C.B.C.—Cleveland, Ohio*

Without a pasted label or the signature of the maker, its origin cannot be determined. But it was made in the second half of the 18th century in New England by a local cabinetmaker.



SET OF WOODEN MEASURES

I have been told these wooden mugs were made for measuring liquids. Was this their purpose? *P.B.—Philadelphia, Pa.*

Yes, your set of wooden noggins was used to measure cider, whiskey, rum, molasses and vinegar. They were made in America from the late 17th century to the latter part of the 19th century.

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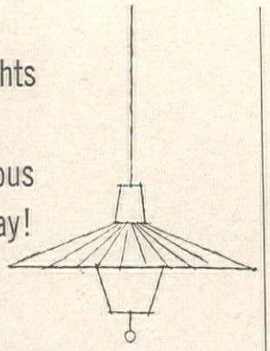
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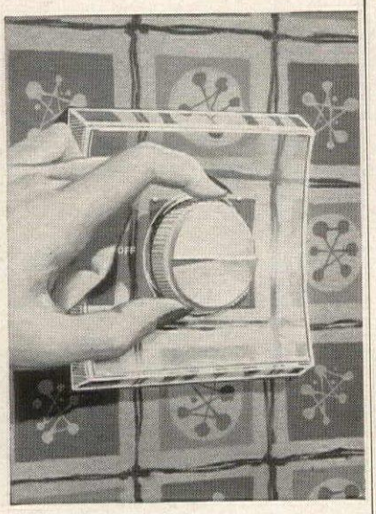


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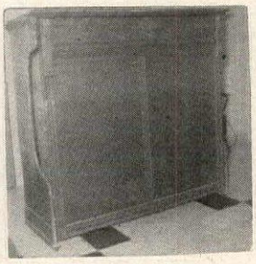
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CHINESE TEMPLE FIGURE

We wonder if this 19" tall carving is of real interest or the work of a local whittler? We found it in New Hampshire four years ago. *A.M.B.—Massapequa, N.Y.*

The carving is Chinese and was made in the late 18th or the early 19th century. This type of carving is seen in Chinese temples and is probably the figure of a prominent general, scholar or statesman.



FOLDING BED

I would appreciate your opinion of this roll-up bed, made, I think, by the Larkin Company of Buffalo. Is it an antique? *T.N.—Mt. Clemens, Mich.*

It is not an antique but was made by an American furniture factory between 1875 and 1900. The Larkin Company manufactured soap and, to stimulate sales, it used to give away furniture as premiums.



MARKED WINDSOR CHAIR

Can you tell us who "J. Custer" was and the age of this Windsor chair? The name is cut beneath the seat. *V.D.S.—Baltimore, Md.*

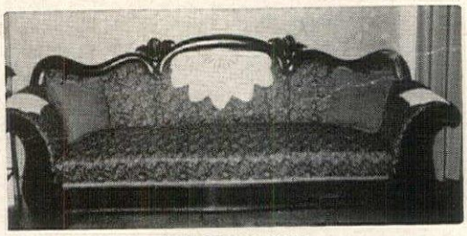
You have an American fan-back Windsor of the late 18th century. No doubt J. Custer was the maker, but we have not been able to determine where he worked.



ENGLISH ANDIRONS

These brass andirons have a mark on the rear leg. When, where and by whom were they made? *C.H.Y.—Grapevine, Tex.*

The andirons were made by an English brass founder, probably in Birmingham. Your sketch of the mark indicates the design was registered at the British Patent Office in London on September 1, 1883.



VICTORIAN SOFA

Would you know how old my antique divan might be? It came to me from a great-aunt who died in 1900 at the age of 94. *P.E.C.—Brockton, Mass.*

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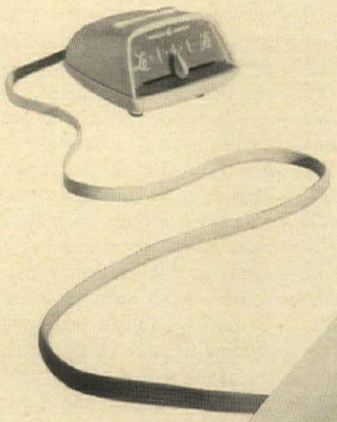
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HOW TO BUY TRADITIONAL FURNITURE

Familiarity with classic design
and leisurely comparison of significant details will show you
the difference between cheap imitations and reproductions of quality

BY ANN PRINGLE ELIASBERG

By definition, traditional furniture owes more to past inspiration than to present ingenuity. The best of it is made by people with a thorough knowledge of antiques and their history, and the very finest reproductions are as much like the originals as it is humanly possible to make them. Antiques which in size, scale or design would not look right in today's homes are better left where they belong—in a museum.

Does this mean that traditional furniture, to be good, must be faithfully copied from originals in a museum, a castle or a stately home? As a matter of fact, very little furniture made today is authentic to that degree. Most of the designs have been modified in one or several respects, and that is where the problem of picking the good from the not-so-good arises.

Many traditional furniture designs, particularly those of certain English, Spanish and Dutch periods, suit today's tastes but are too massive to fit into today's rooms. They must be scaled down. Many French designs meet today's demand for elegance but are over ornate and need simplification. Unless you know something about the antique originals—unless you have seen an old Welsh cupboard, a genuine Louis XV ormolu commode, a Louis XVI bergère or a Spanish refectory table—it would be hard to tell whether the modern adaptations have vulgarized the style of the originals or merely put them to new but still appropriate use.

For judging reproductions, then, a background in design is essential. Like a liberal arts degree, you cannot turn it in immediately for twenty thousand a year but in the long run there is no substitute. The more châteaux and castles you can visit in Europe and Great Britain, the more trips you take to the Metropolitan Museum's American Wing, to Colonial Williamsburg, to the many other restorations in the United States, or to the shops of reliable dealers in fine antiques, the sharper your eye will be in weeding out the good reproductions from the bad. You will bypass the piece that has borrowed a leg here and a carved molding there for an effect as confused as a stew made by a cook whose enthusiasm for herbs is greater than her knowledge of them. It goes without saying that a study of well-illustrated books on traditional design will reinforce what you learn from seeing the museum originals.

There are a few rules of thumb, however, that may be adopted as guides when you go shopping. First, be wary of furniture that seems to incorporate too many trends such as a renewed popularity for wood inlay or Gothic arch motifs. If all the design details you have read about recently seem to meet in one piece of furniture you will be justified in wondering whether it was created with an eye to the beauty of a particular design period or to the fads of the moment.

Second, traditional furniture by the best manufacturers continues to meet high standards of authenticity of line and detail even when it has been scaled down, or modified to provide more storage space or dual purposes. If, for instance, you saw a supposedly Louis XVI lady's table with one drawer to poke into your knees at the right and a lift-up vanity top on the left, you would probably recognize instinctively that something was wrong, for furniture of classic design was generally balanced and symmetrical. The offending little vanity might have been concocted by someone who wanted to satisfy an imagined demand for a mixture of French

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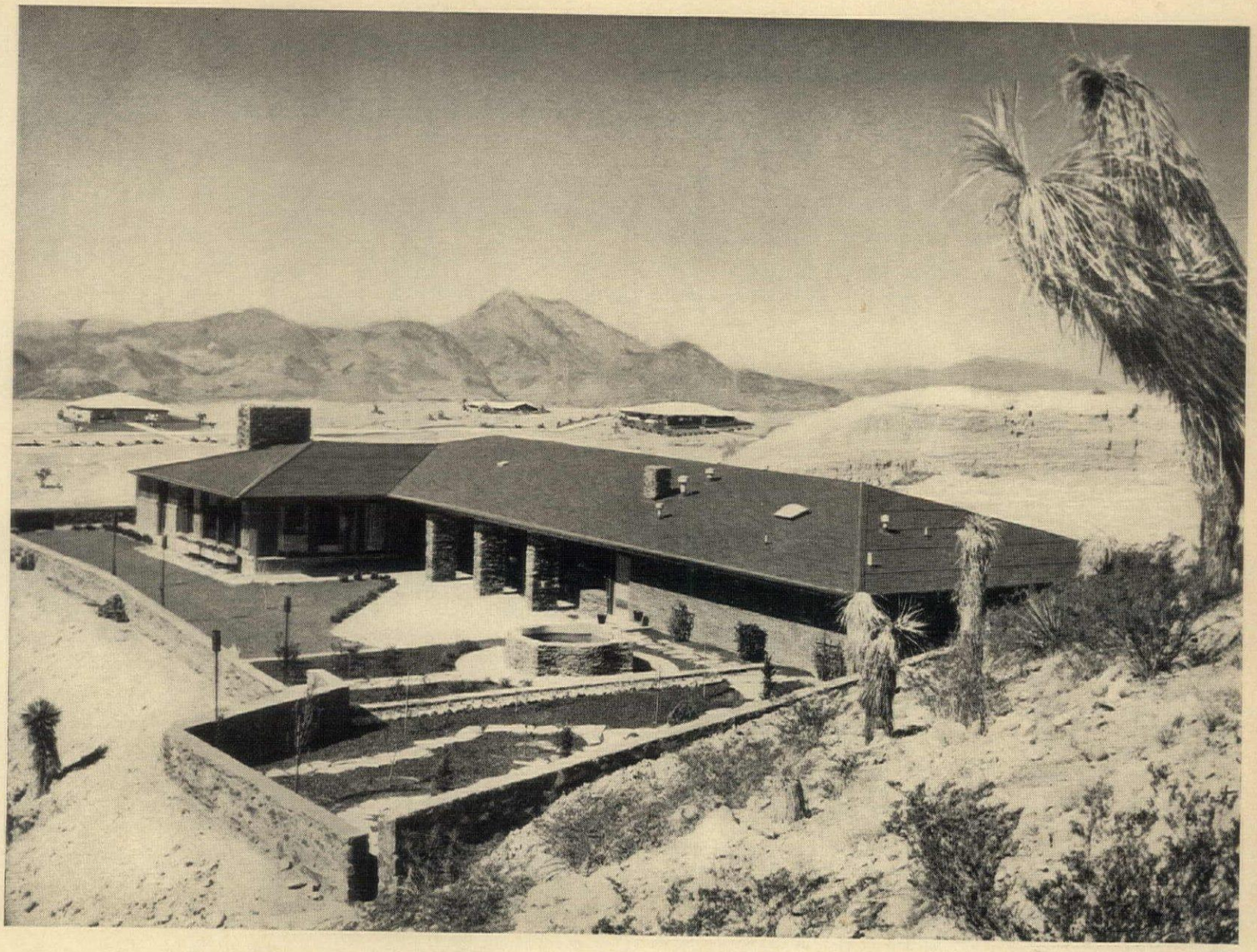




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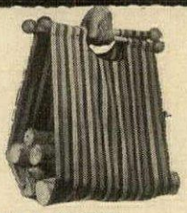
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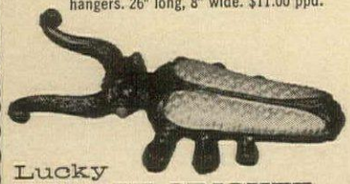
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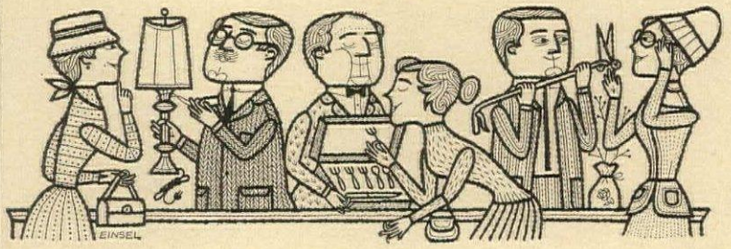
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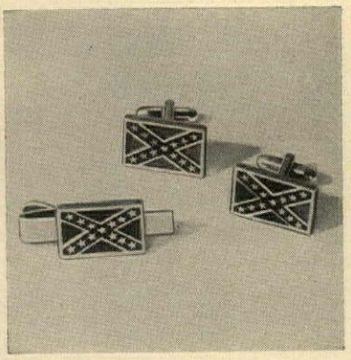
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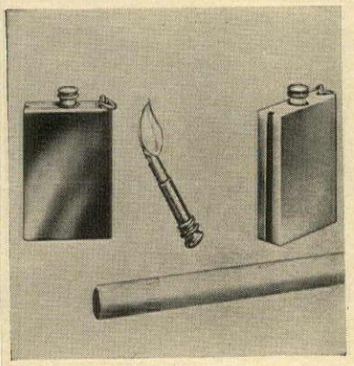
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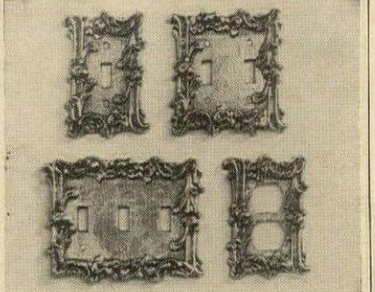
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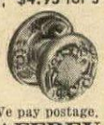


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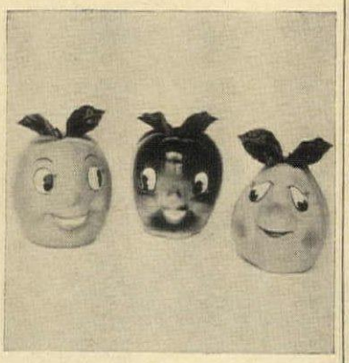
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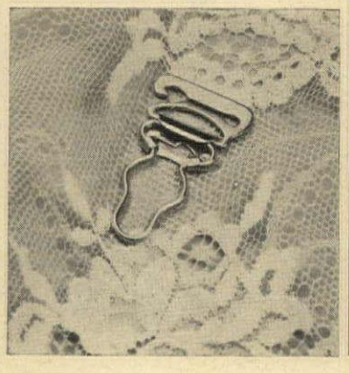
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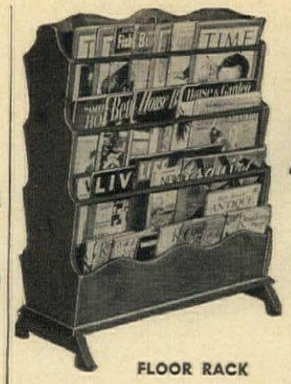


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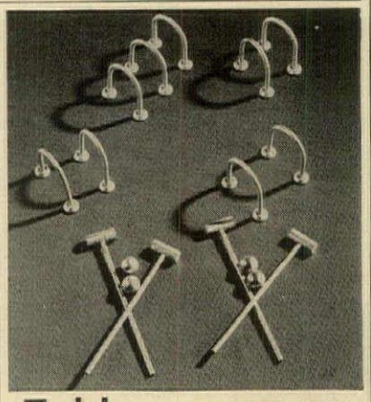


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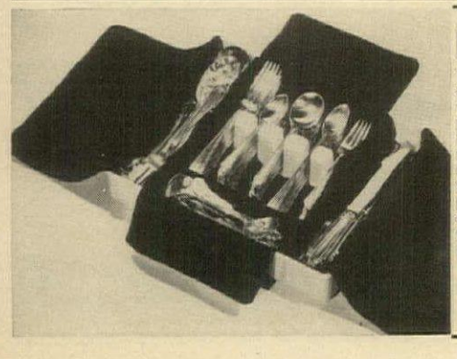
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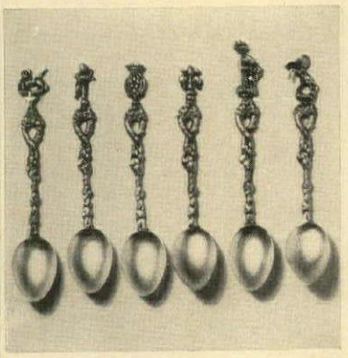
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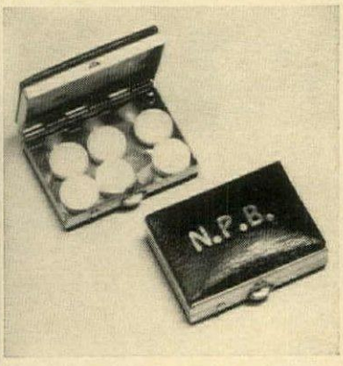
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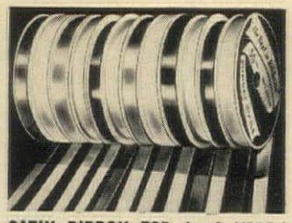
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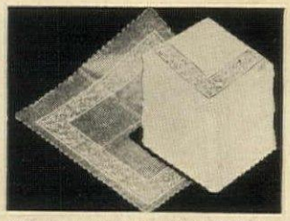
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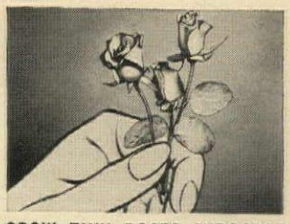
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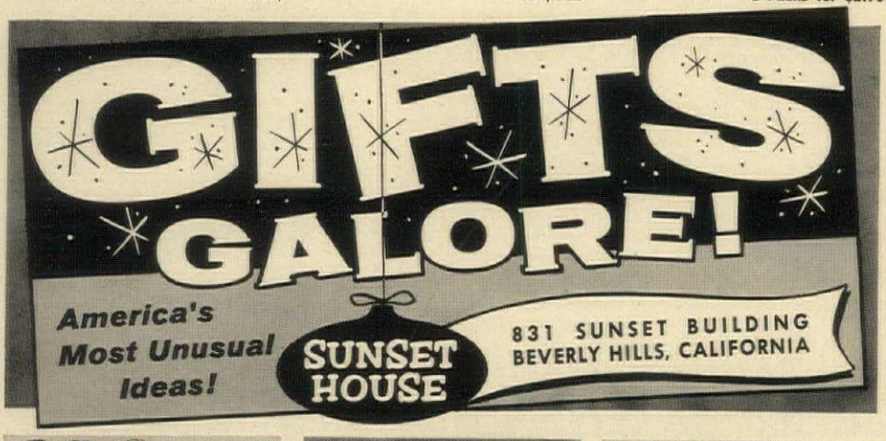
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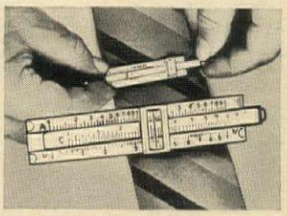
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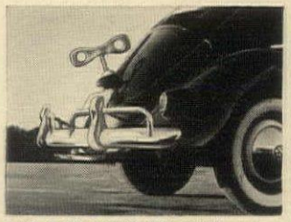
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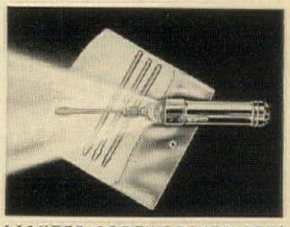
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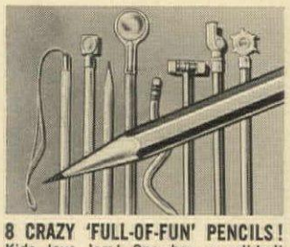
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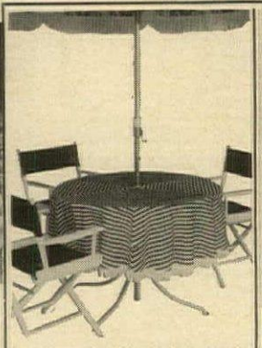
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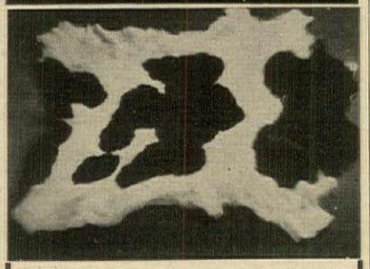
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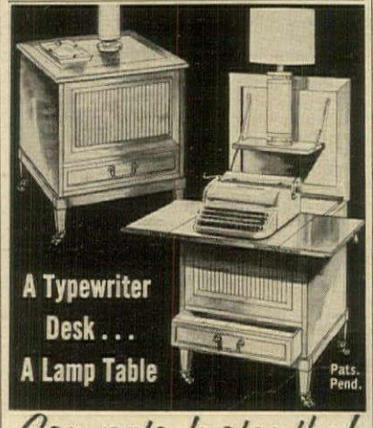
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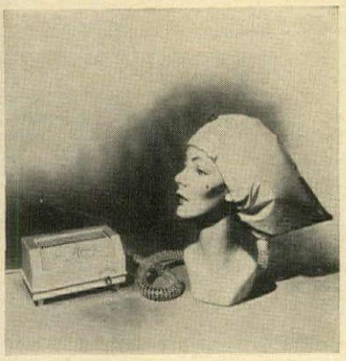
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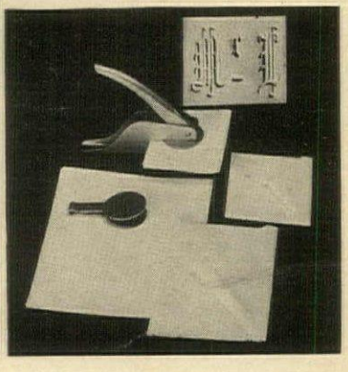
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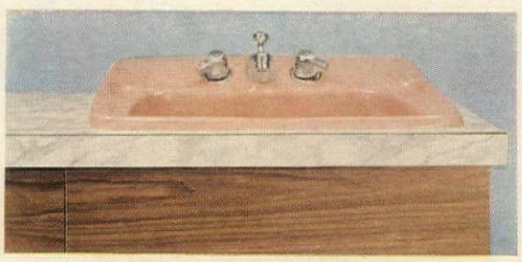
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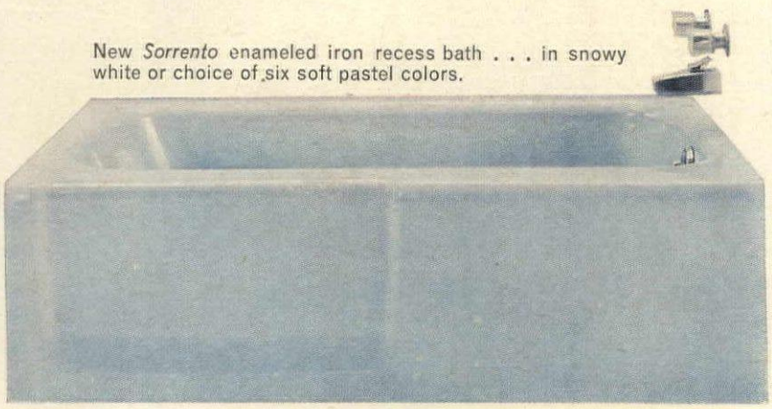
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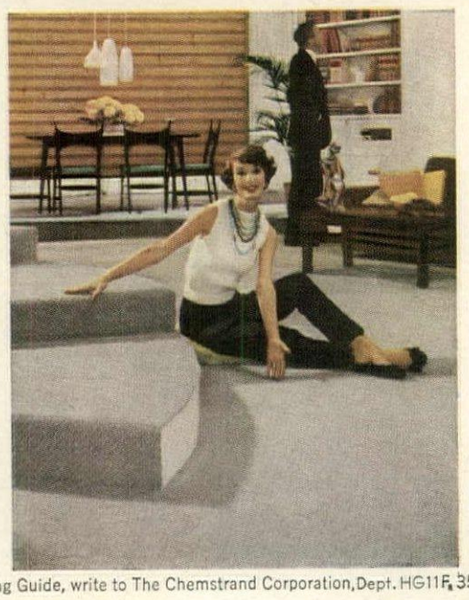


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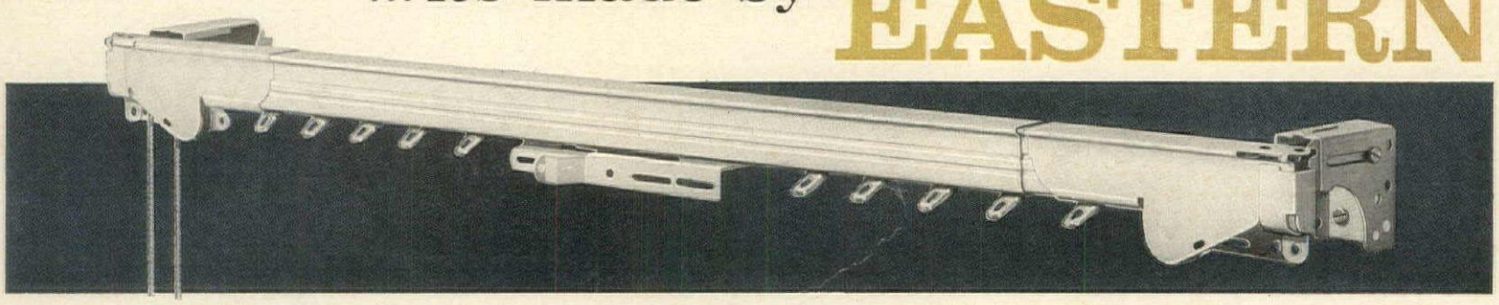
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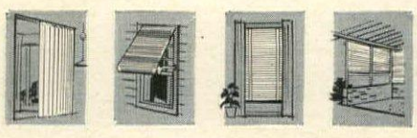
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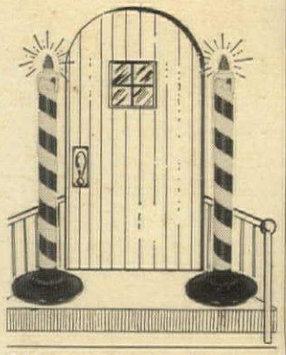
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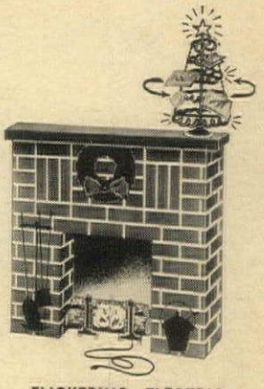
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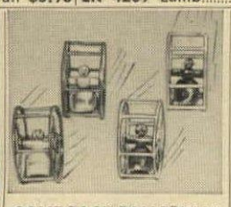
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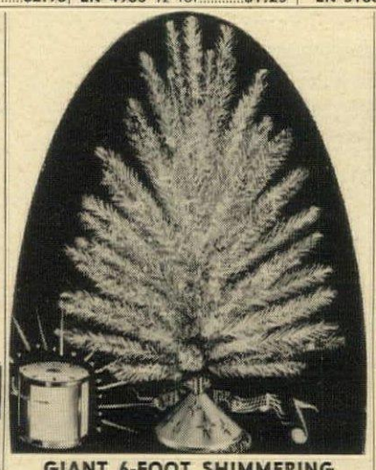
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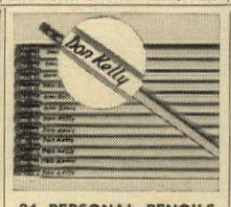
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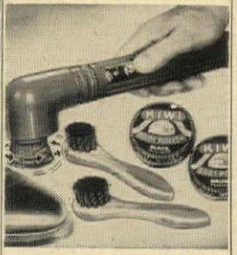
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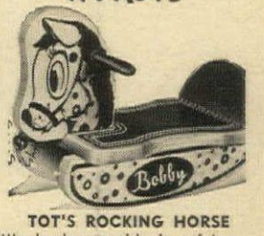
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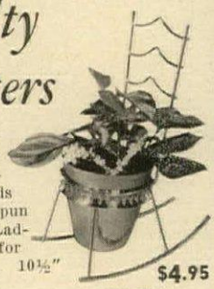
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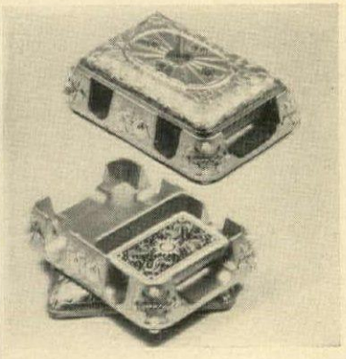
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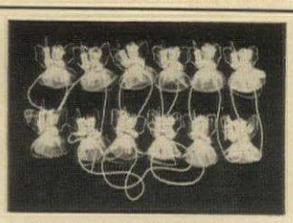


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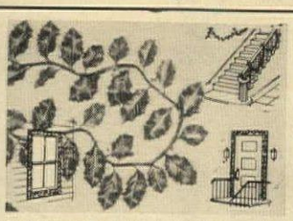
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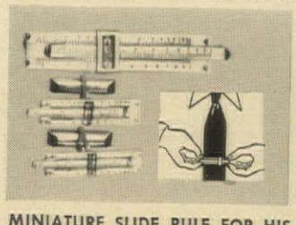
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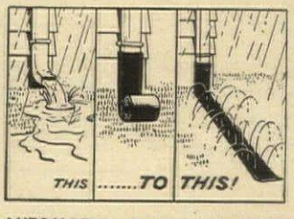
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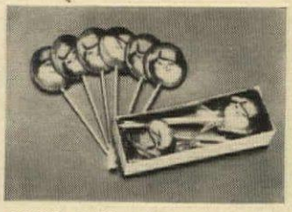
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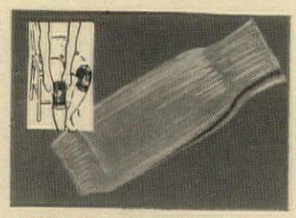
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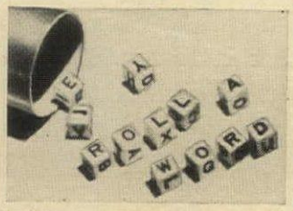
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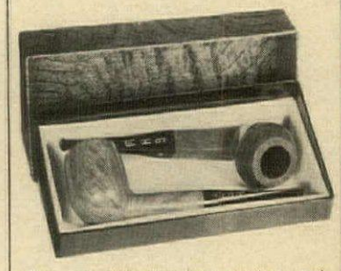
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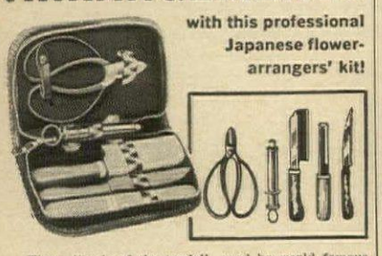
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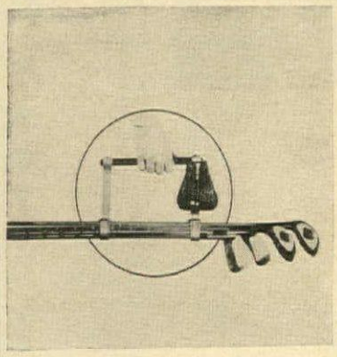
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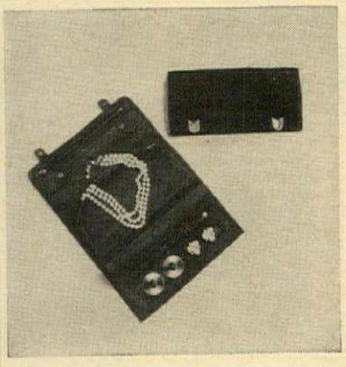
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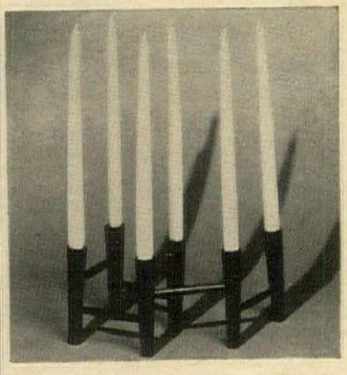
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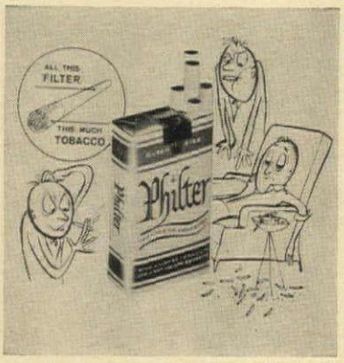
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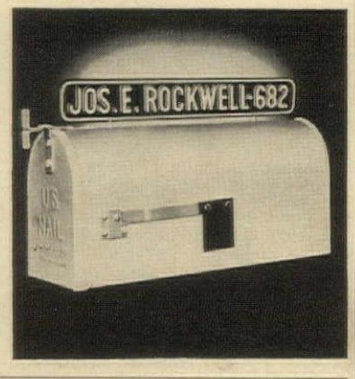
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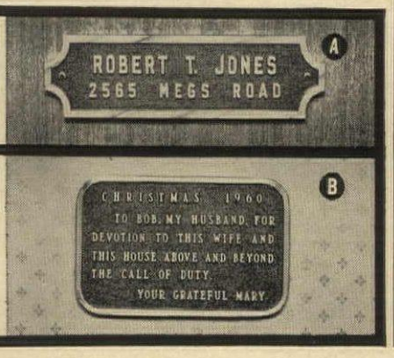


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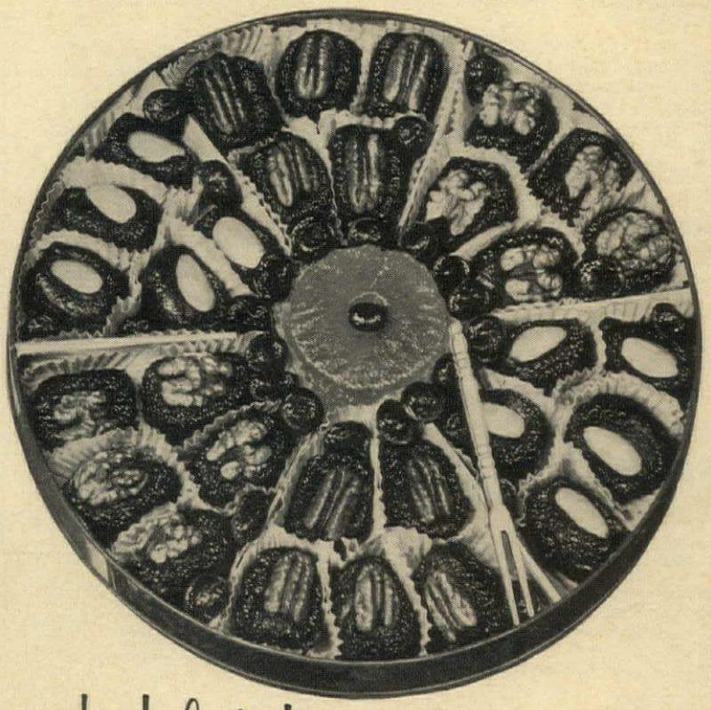
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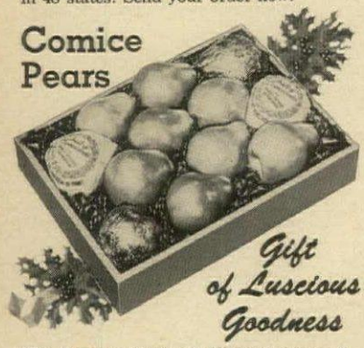


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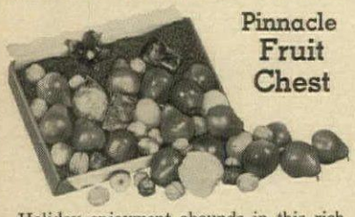
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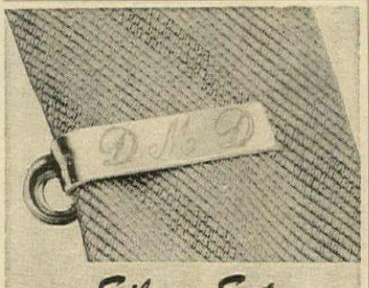
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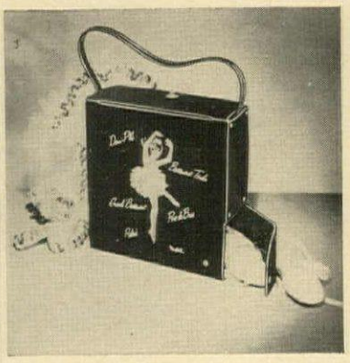
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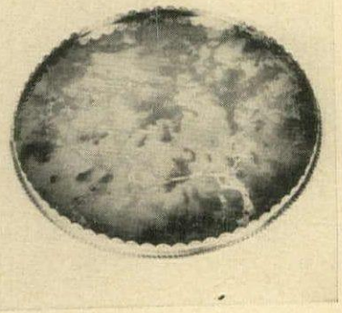
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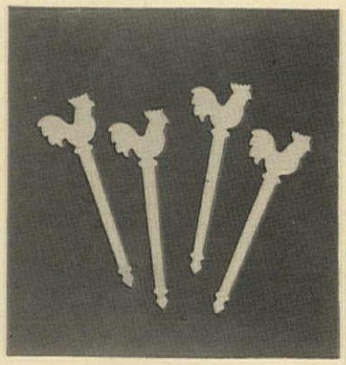
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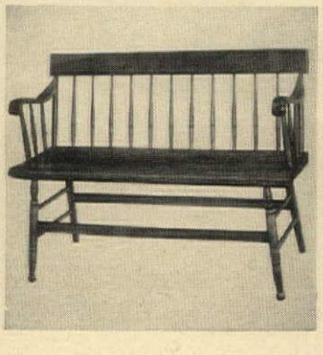


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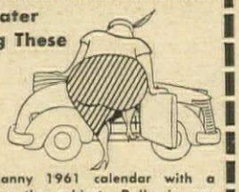
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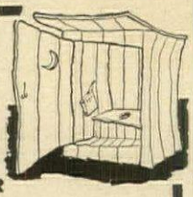


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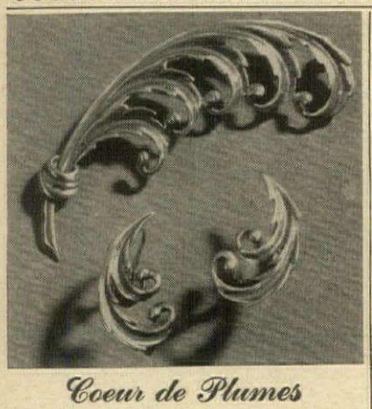
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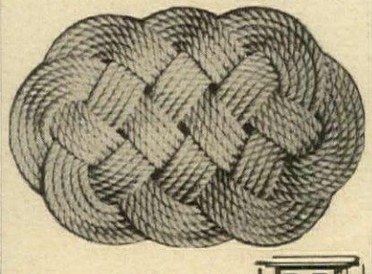
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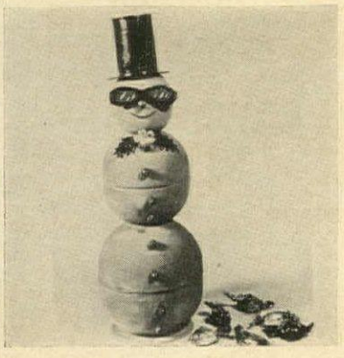
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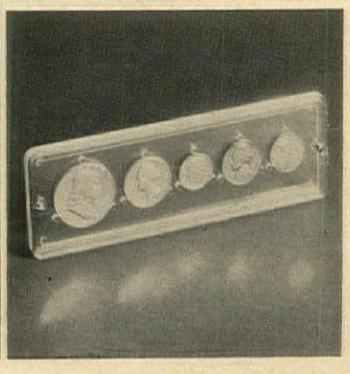
A la Pygmalion

Worn blankets and cotton comforters can be turned into beautiful quilts at the Alden Mills. Here each will be processed and covered with pink, blue or maize French acetate crepe. Because there is no shrinkage in this process the size of the quilt will be the size of the blanket you send. $8.95 ppd. Alden Mills, Department HG11, 1621 14th St., Plano, Tex.



Toss-up

Here's a pair of forks you will treasure for the deft way they respond to serving spaghetti, tossed green salad, asparagus spears. Handmade in Haiti from hardwood, beautifully grained and finished with oil, each is 8½" long. A weekend hostess will bless you for these. $2.95 the pair. Ppd. Deer Hill, Department HG11, College Point 56, New York.



Coin of the realm

Appropriate gift for a man's desk or for his collection of coins, this paperweight made of Lucite is set with five uncirculated United States coins. Like proof coins, these have never been issued as currency. $5. Coins are also available in a plastic case for $3. Postpaid. Order from The Centre Coin Company, HG11,.5 Centre Street, Hempstead 52, N. Y.

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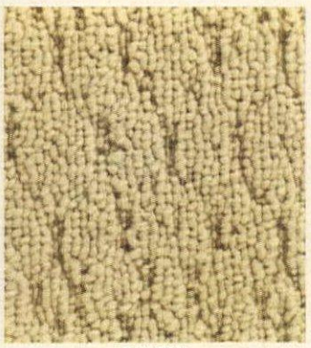
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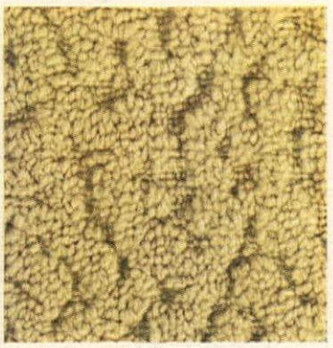
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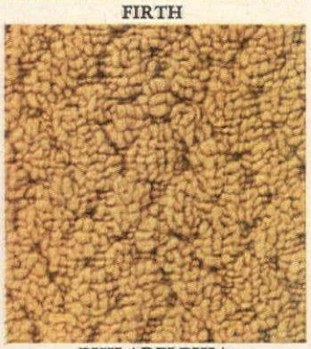
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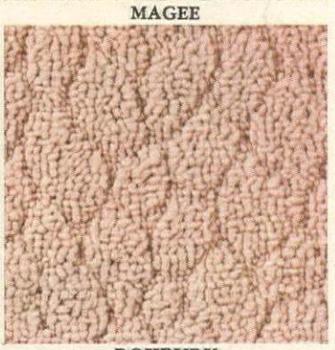
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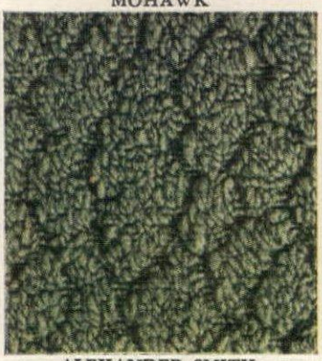
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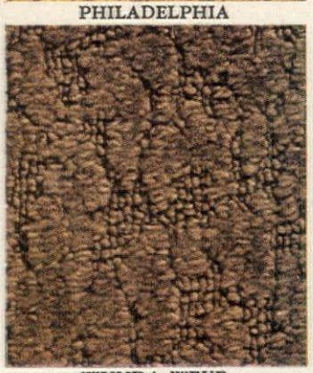
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Pass the plate

The hostess with a forte for delectable appetizers will appreciate a hand-carved server designed like a palm leaf. Six generous compartments will hold colorful tidbits. Polished natural wood trimmed with dark wood makes attractive contrast. Server is 18″ x 8″ x 1″. $3.29 postpaid. Order from Palley's, HG11, 2263 East Vernon Ave., Los Angeles 58, Calif.

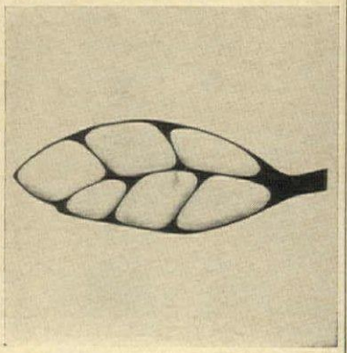


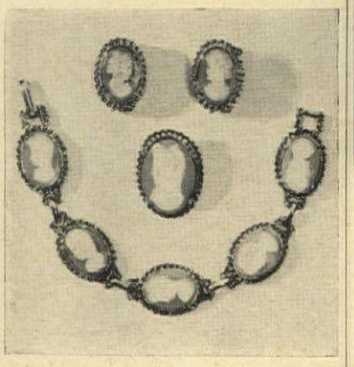
Table trickery

Spark up the breakfast or dinner table with this handsome three-bowl server for marmalade and preserves or relishes and dressings. Base and brackets are hand-rubbed hardwood; bowls are stainless steel, hold 12 ounces each. Three stainless-steel ladles are included. Over-all height: 11″. $13.50 ppd. Order from Kreb's, HG11, Westerly, R. I.



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Holiday hijinks

Add a touch of whimsey to the Christmas dinner table with sly engaging Santas made of wood covered with felt. Bodies and caps are bright red, beard and whiskers are snow white. Imported from Sweden, the larger Santa is 9½″ high ($2.25); smaller one is 5½″ ($1.50). Postpaid. Order from Wilburt, Department HG11, 261 Third Ave., New York, N. Y.



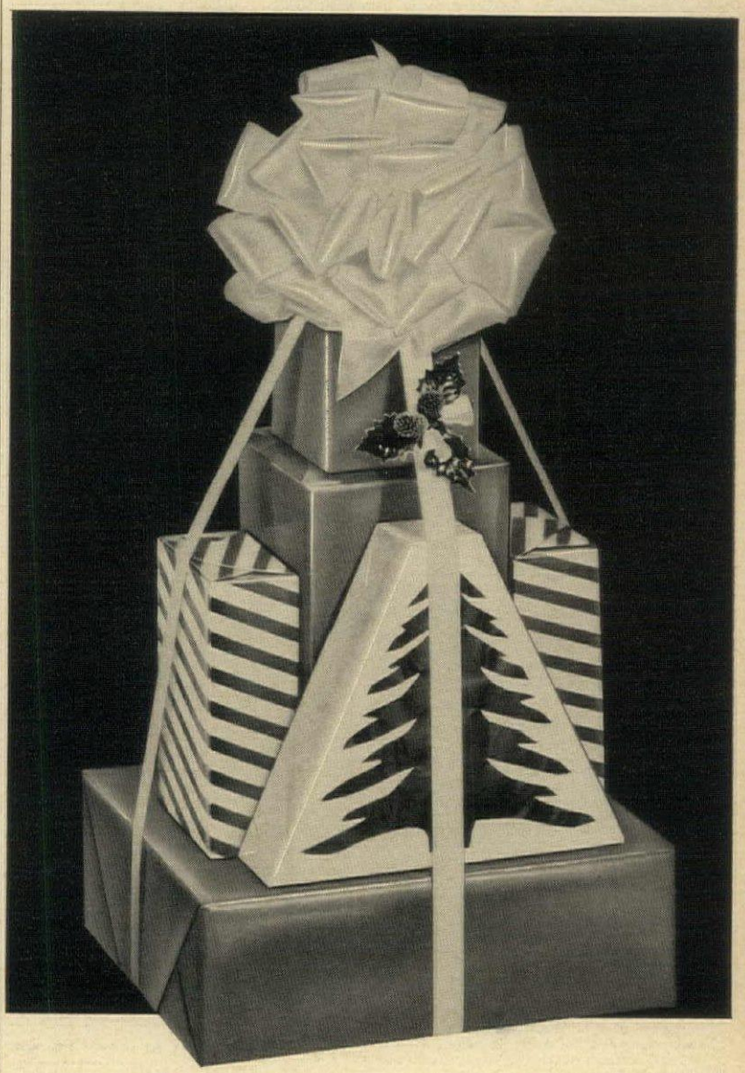
Christmas chimes

Add sweet music to the holiday festivities with this Swedish creation made of solid brass. Base holds four candles which, when lit, rotate three charming small brass angels by means of the candle heat. The angels, in turn, strike the two brass bells with their wands. $2 complete with candles, ppd. Paul Brown, Department HG11, Box 125, Chestnut Hill, Mass.



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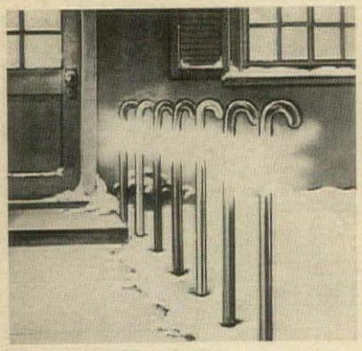
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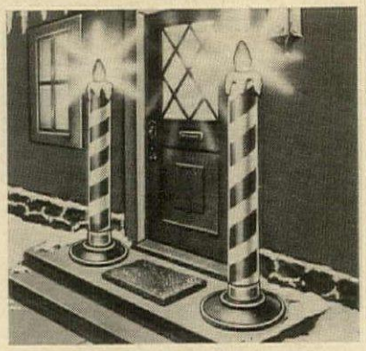
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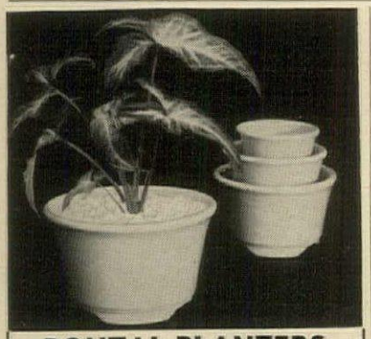


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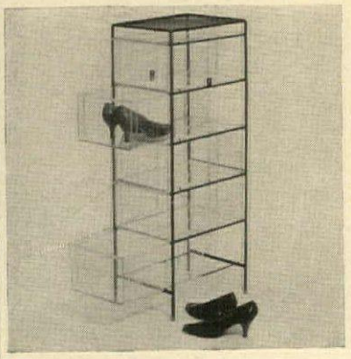
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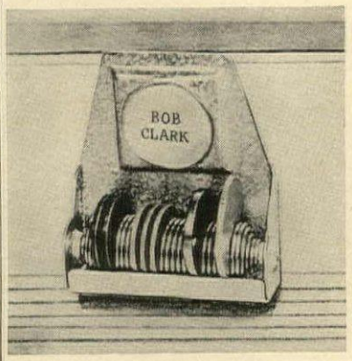
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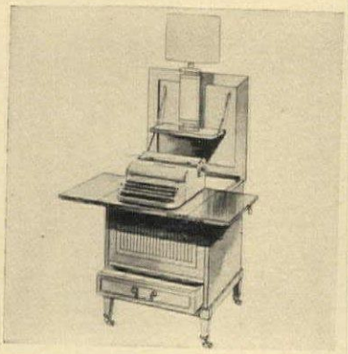
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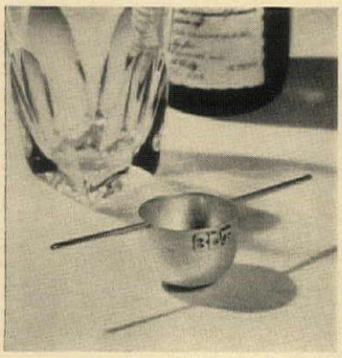
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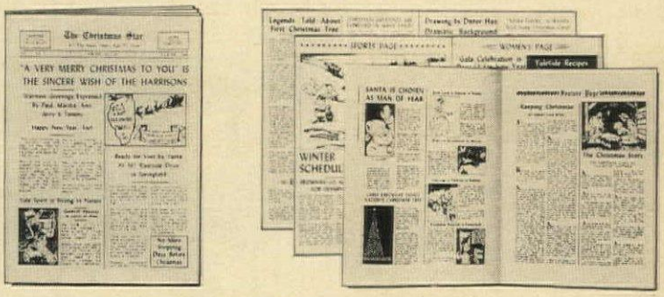
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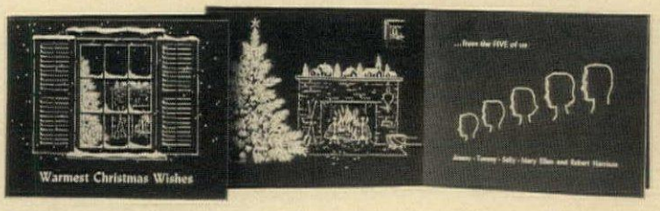
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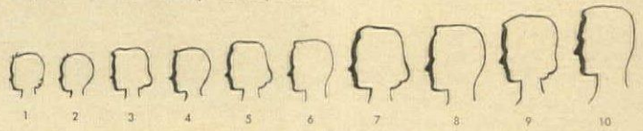


Your friends and relatives will be fascinated with this miniature newspaper featuring you and your family. Your family name will be in a big headline with your first names in the subhead. Your own state is pictured in a Christmas setting with your address and city in headlines, too! The eight 5"x 6½" pages are crammed with news of holiday cheer and Christmas lore—complete to comic strip and crossword puzzle. Lithographed in gay green and Christmas red on a rich white paper. The best news of all is the price! 25 Cards and envelopes—$3.95; 50—$6.95; 75—$9.95; 100—$12.85. Order No. 64.

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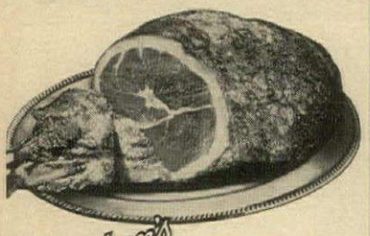


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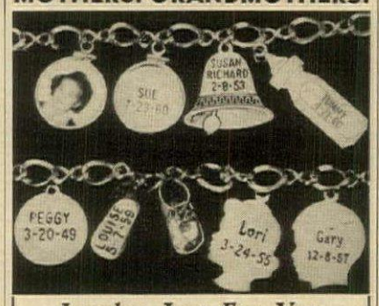


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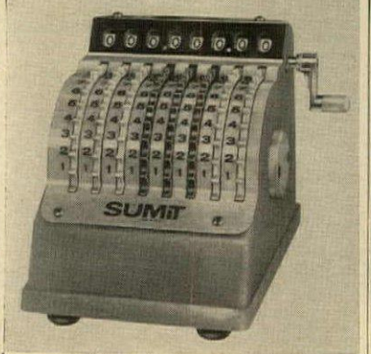


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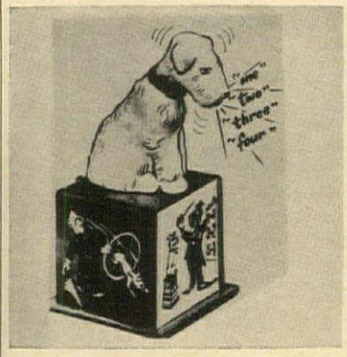
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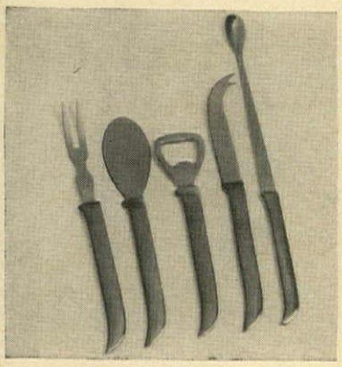
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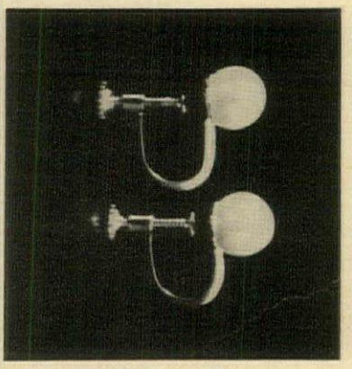
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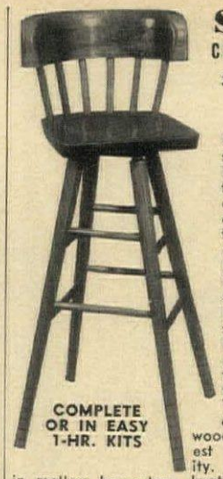


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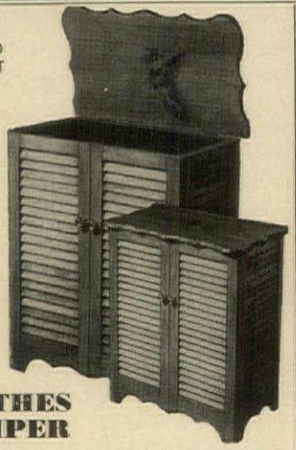
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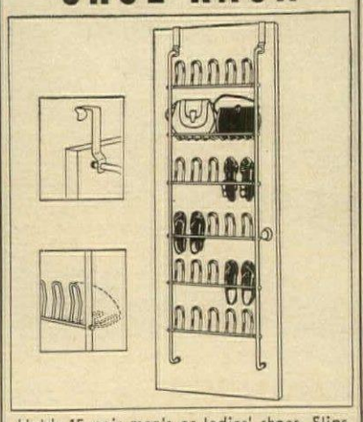
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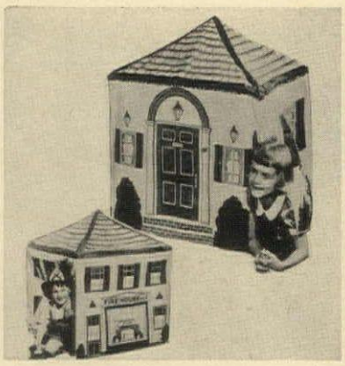
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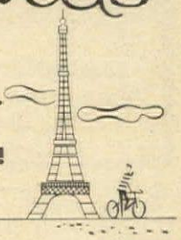


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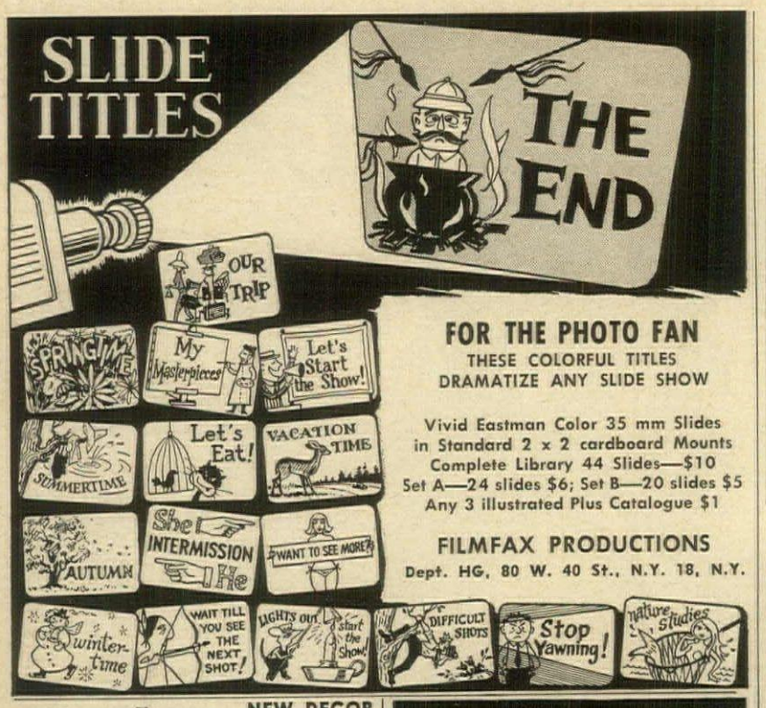
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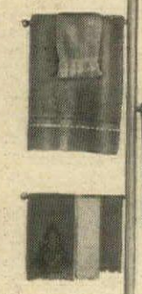


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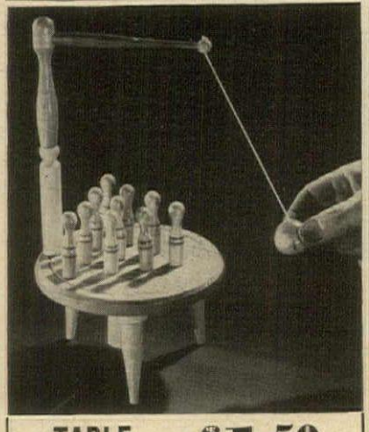
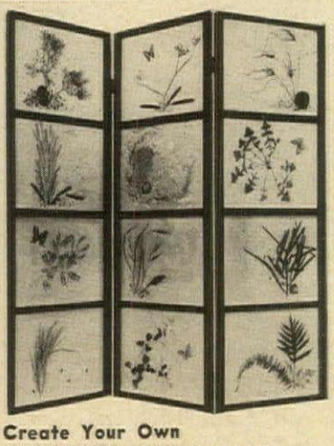


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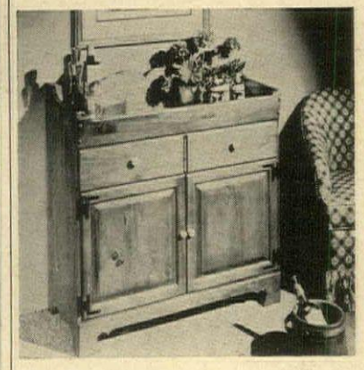
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To cope neatly with salad, spaghetti, cold cuts or fruit compote, use this long handled spoon and fork. Beautifully made of polished stainless steel, the set will complement modern china and flatware. Each piece is 11" long. Handles are hollow. $4.95 the set. Postpostpaid. Order from Glasscraft, Department HG11, 920G Chicago Avenue, Evanston, Ill.



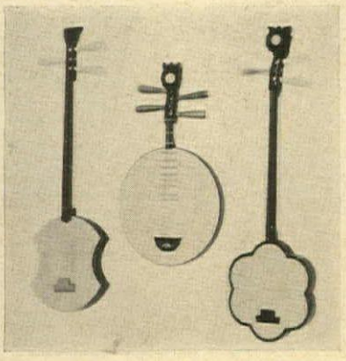
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Handmade tin tree from Mexico strikes a festive note on the Christmas buffet table, mantelpiece or in an entrance hall. Etched and chased in an elaborate design of flowers, birds and leaves, it is brilliantly colored. 20" high, it is set on a solid base, has seven candle cups. $5.10 postpaid. From Vickie Wayne, Department HG11, Box 4035, Tucson, Ariz.



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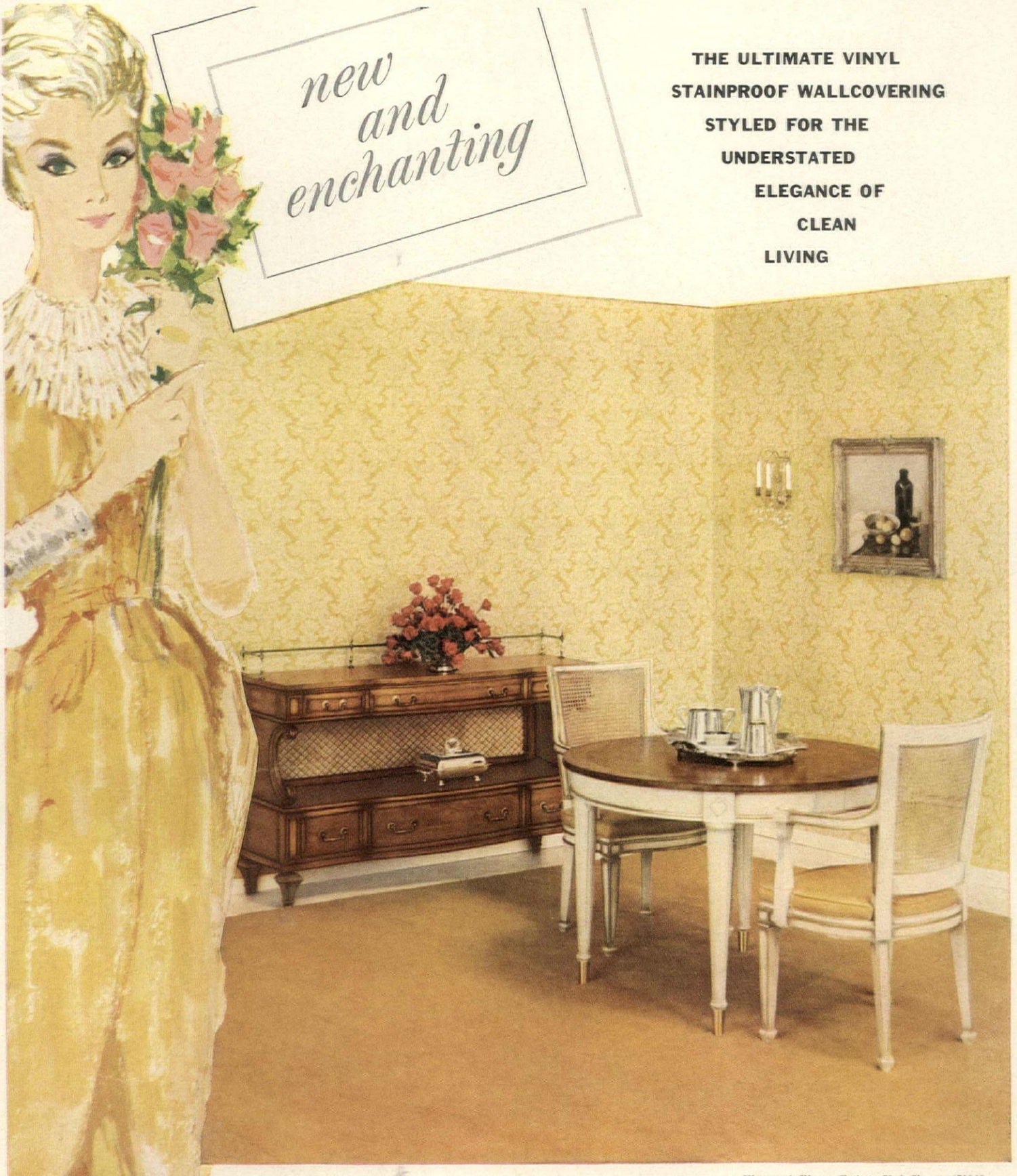
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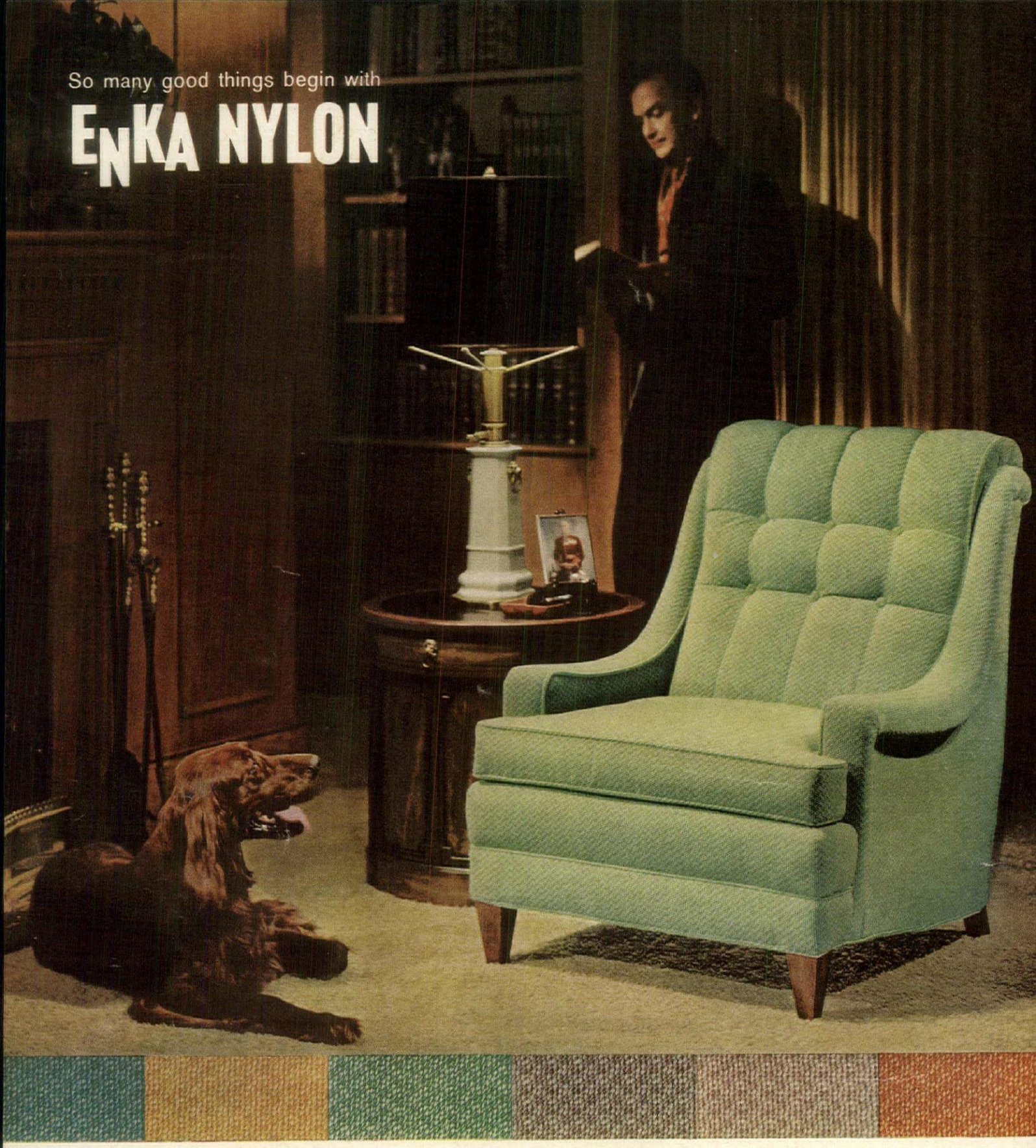
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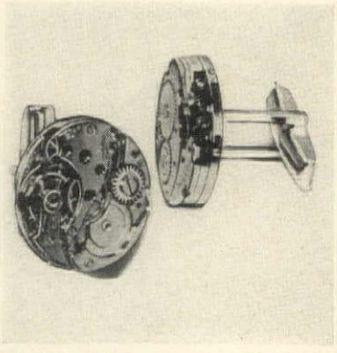
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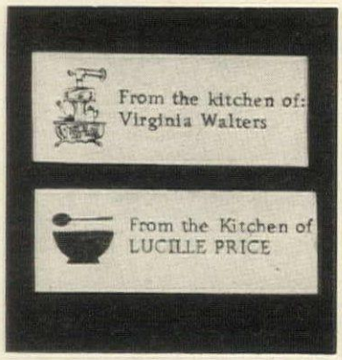
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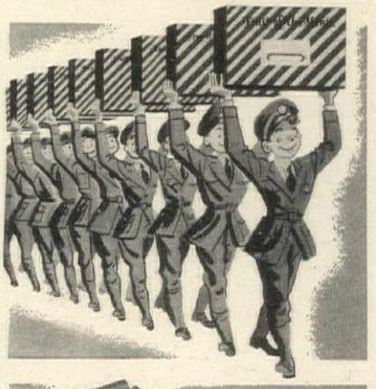
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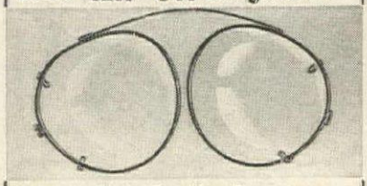
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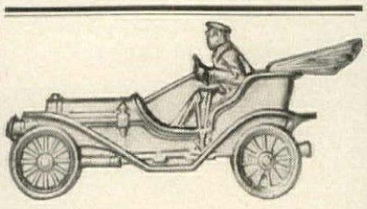
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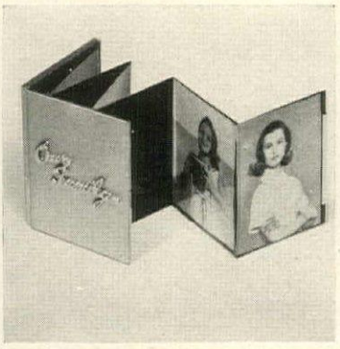
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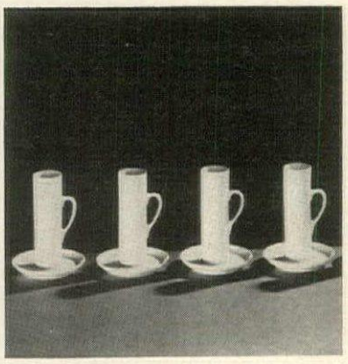
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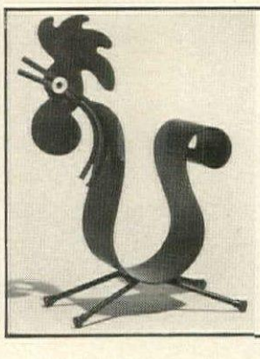
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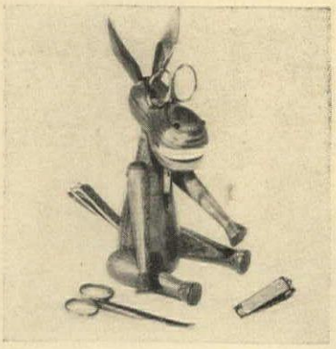
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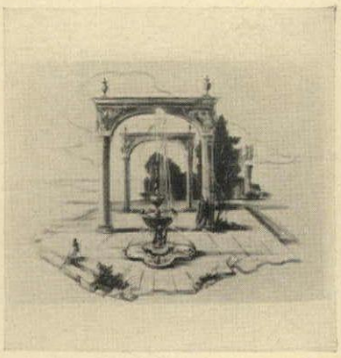
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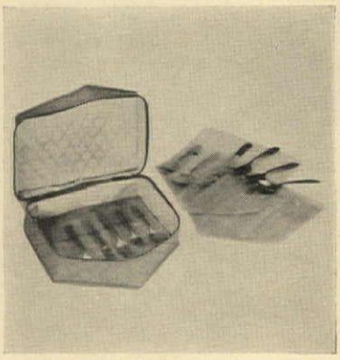
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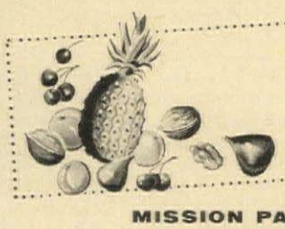
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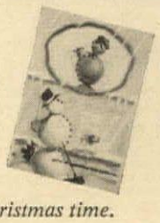


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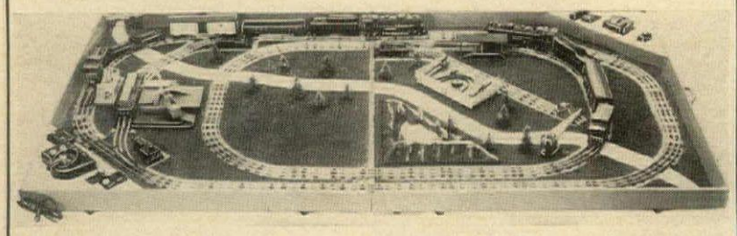
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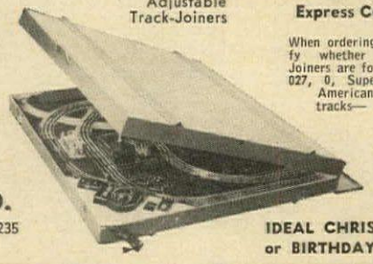
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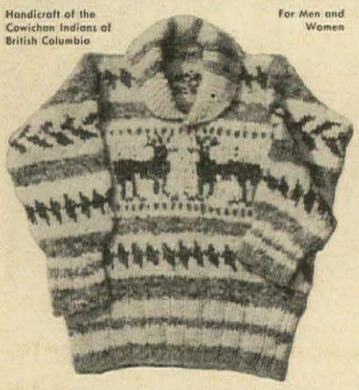
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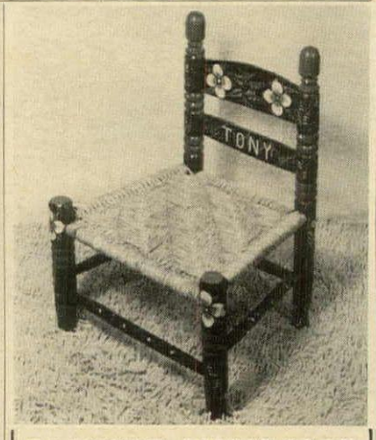
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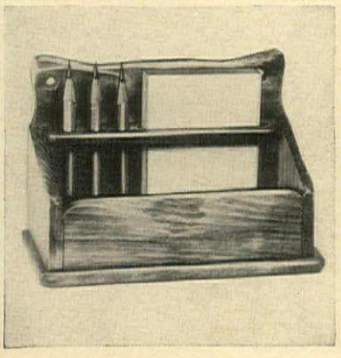
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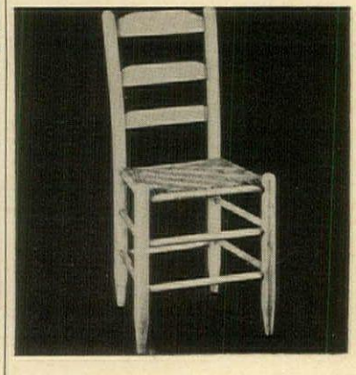
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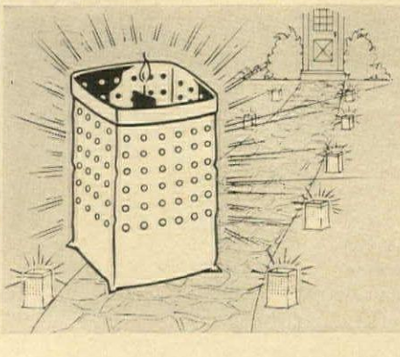
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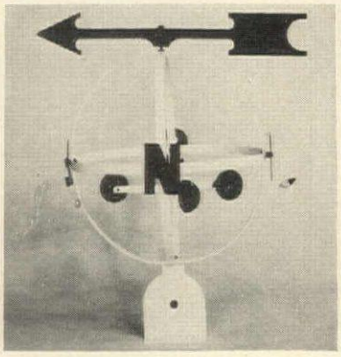
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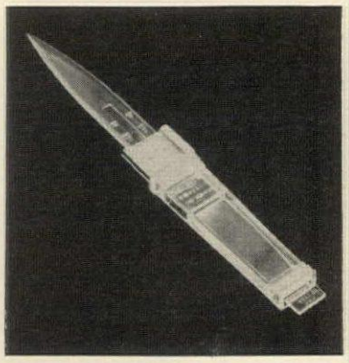
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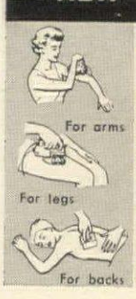


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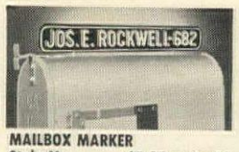


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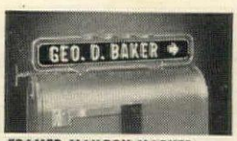
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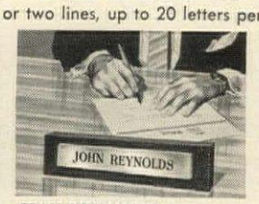
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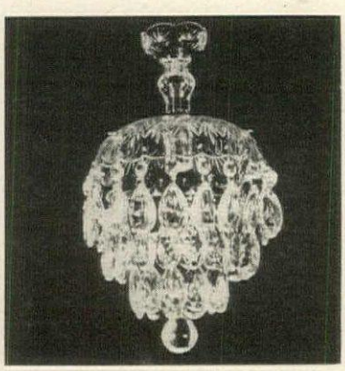
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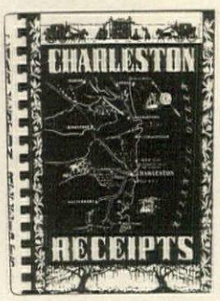
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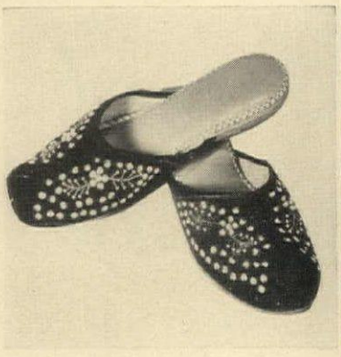
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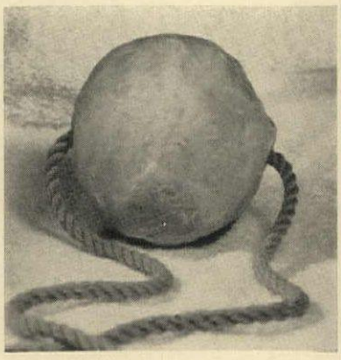
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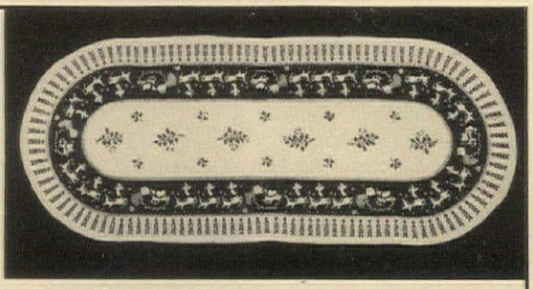


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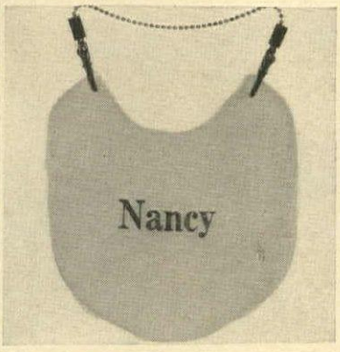
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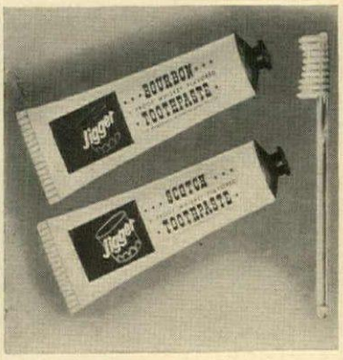
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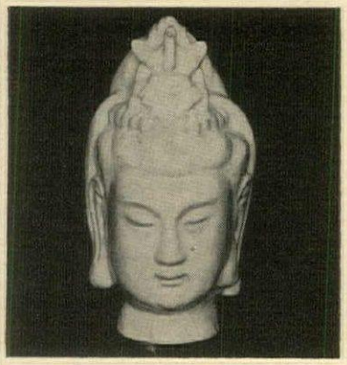
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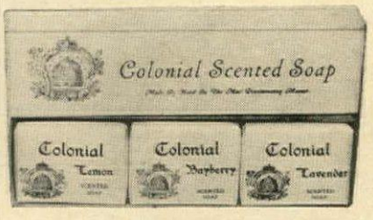
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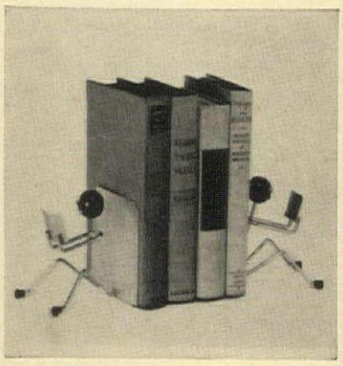
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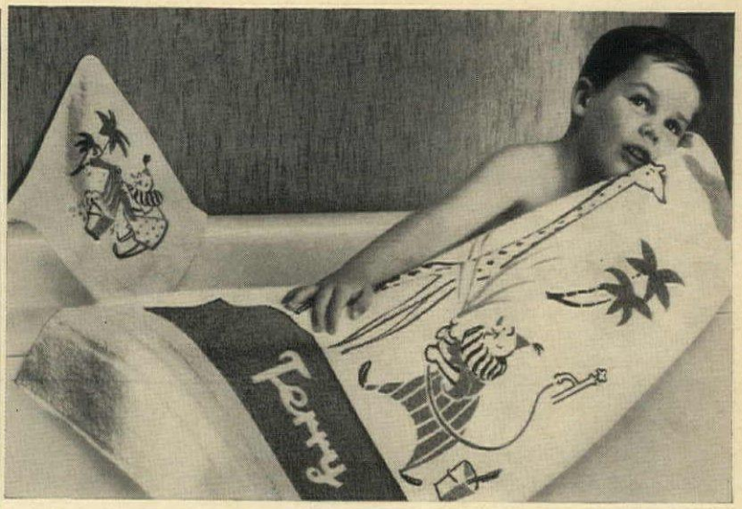


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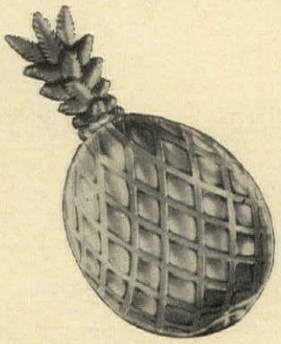
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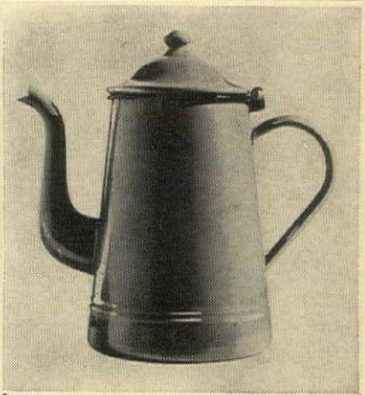
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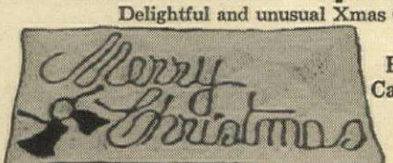
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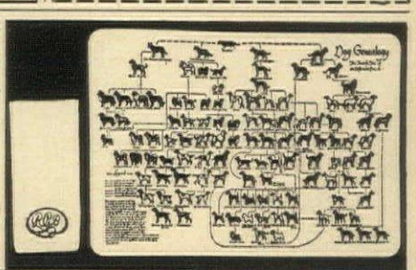
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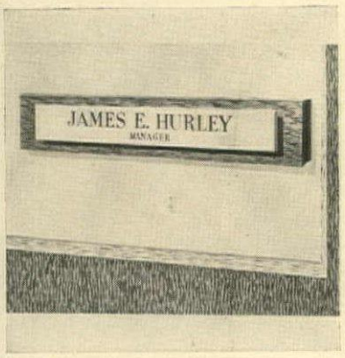
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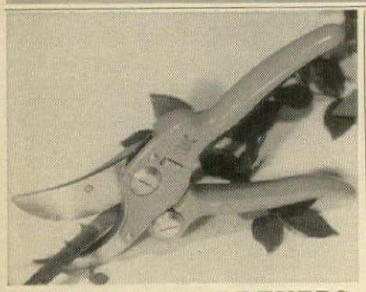
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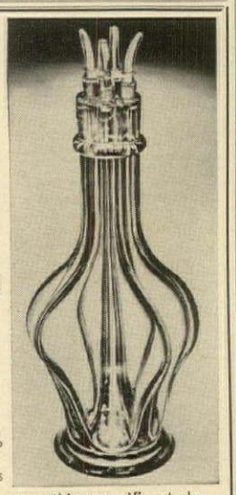


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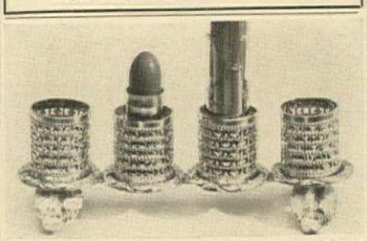
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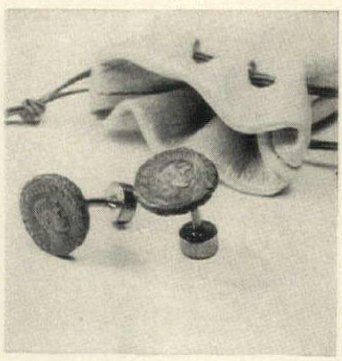
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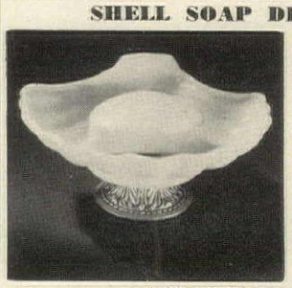
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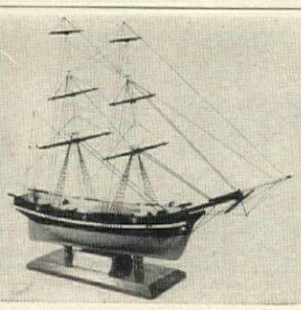
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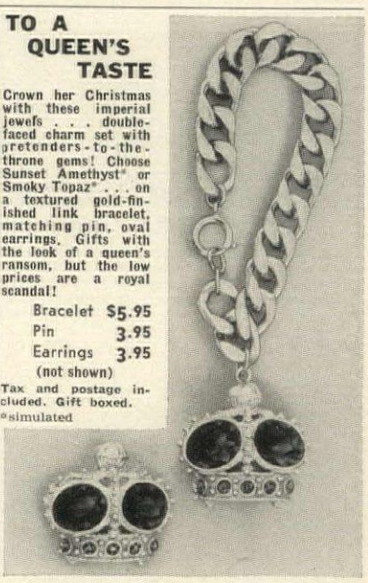
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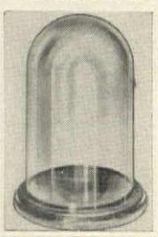


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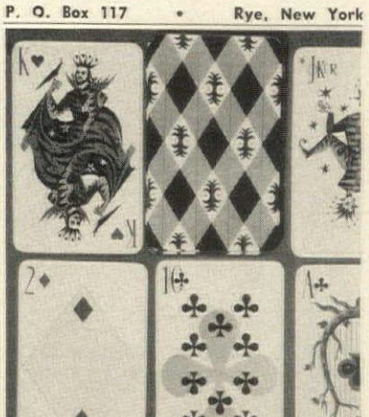


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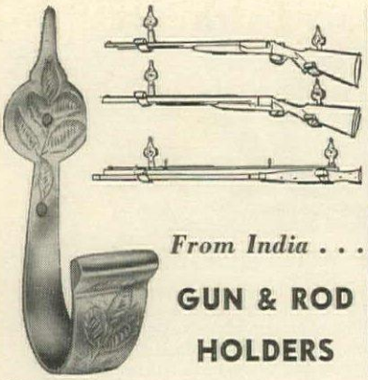


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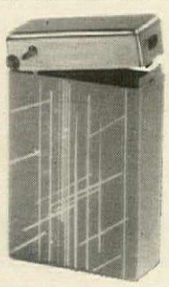
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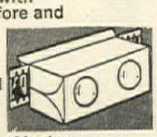
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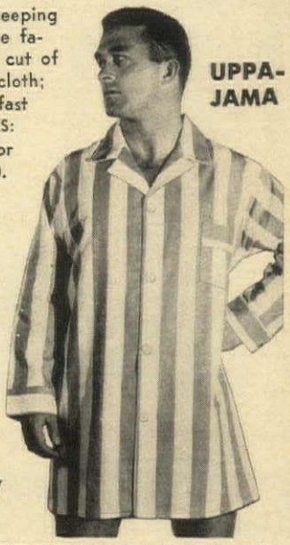


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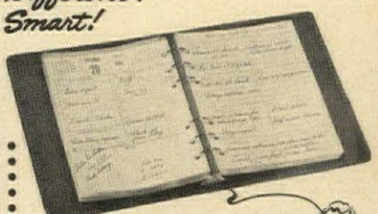


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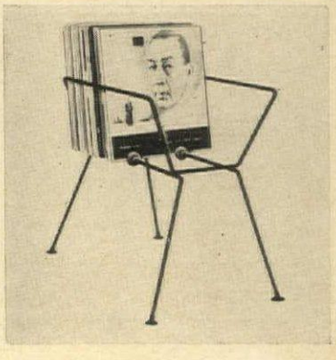
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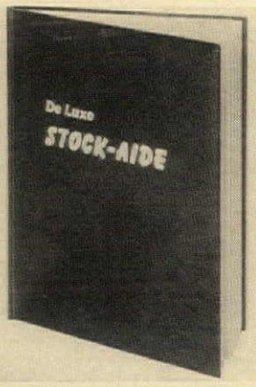
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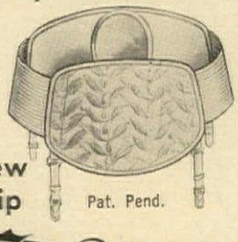
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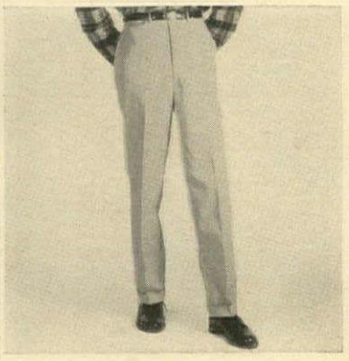


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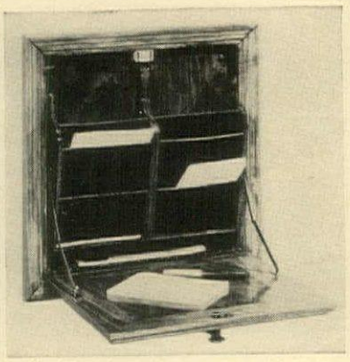
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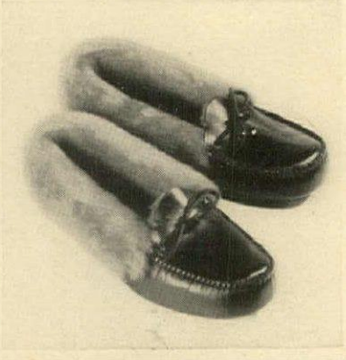
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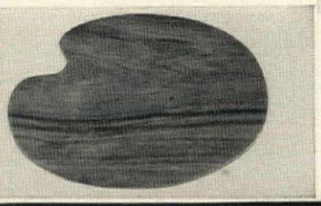
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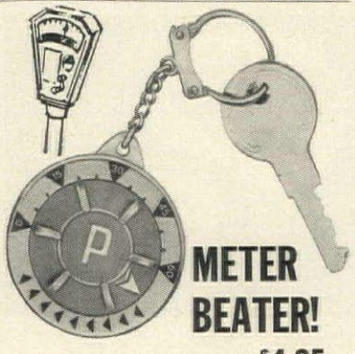
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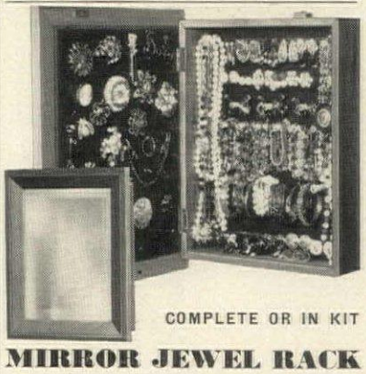


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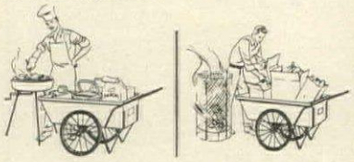
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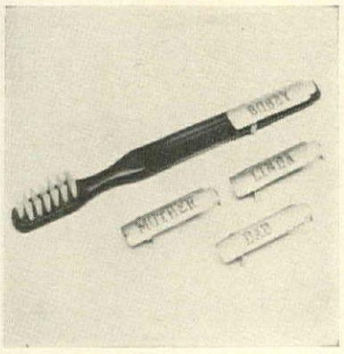
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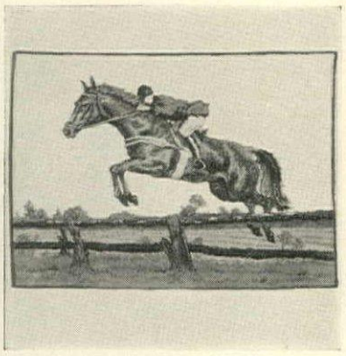
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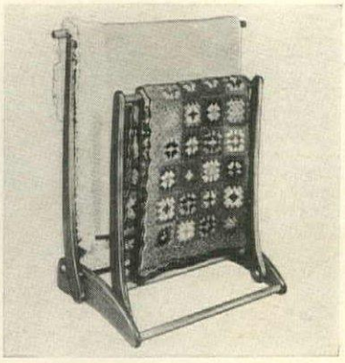
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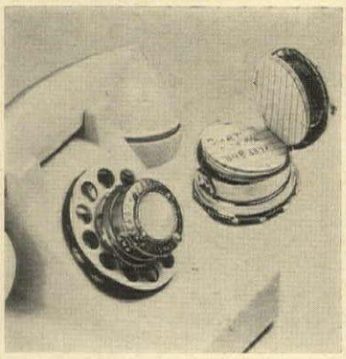


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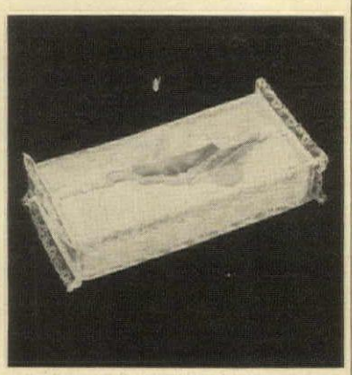
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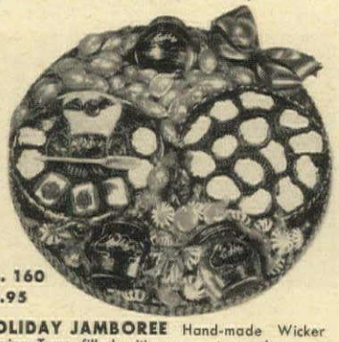


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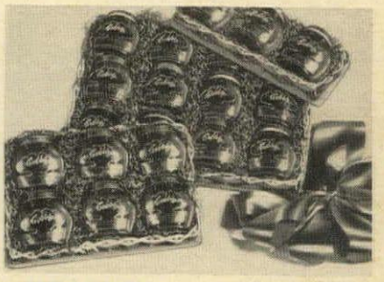
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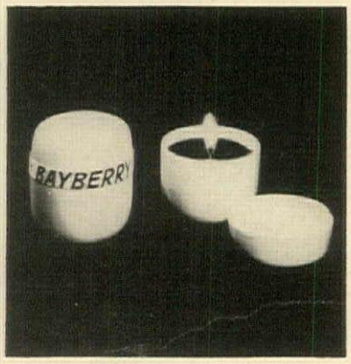
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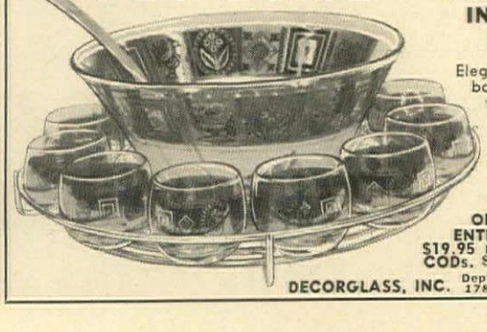
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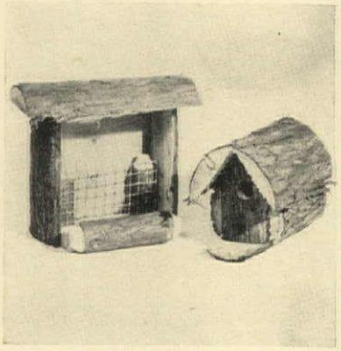
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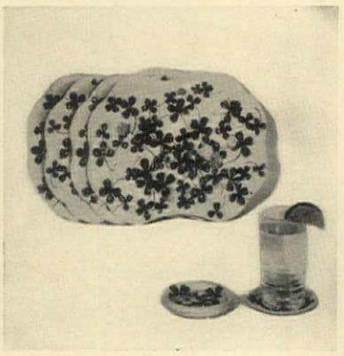
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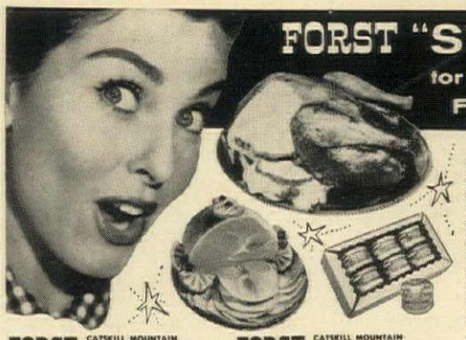
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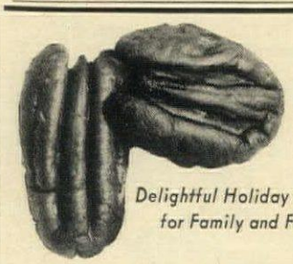
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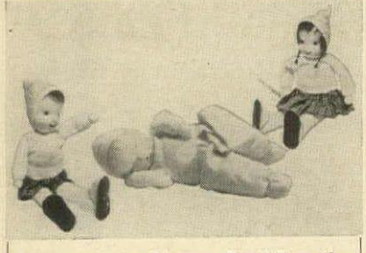
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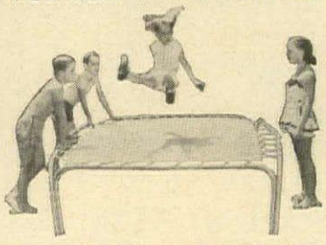
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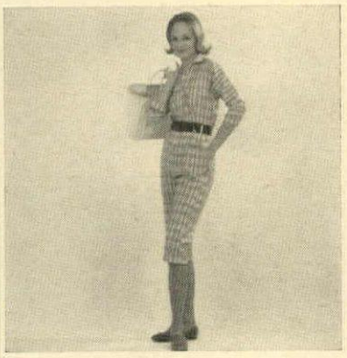
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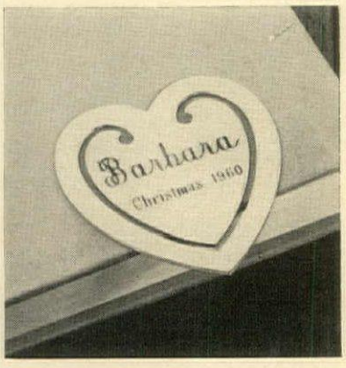
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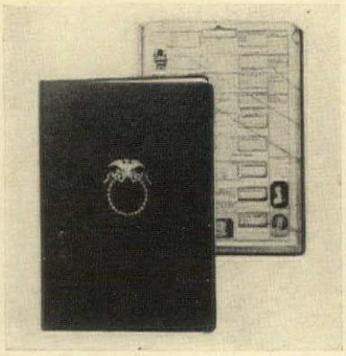
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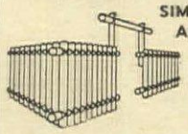


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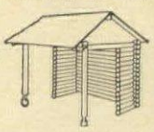
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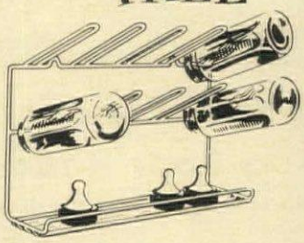
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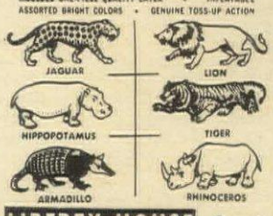
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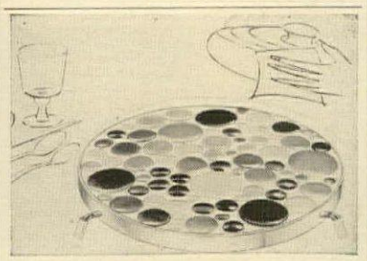
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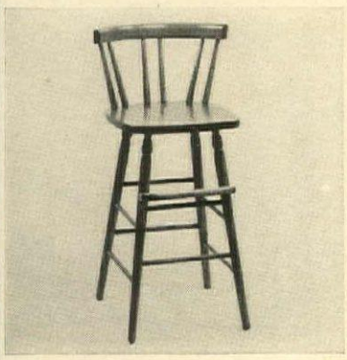
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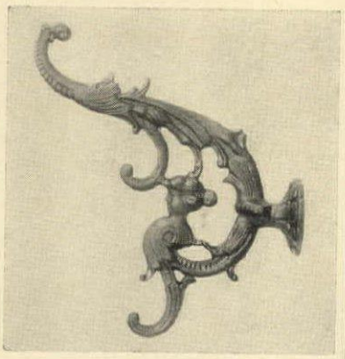
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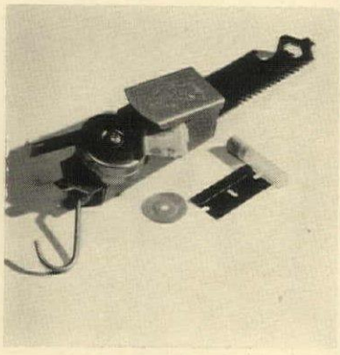
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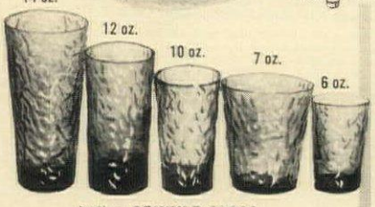
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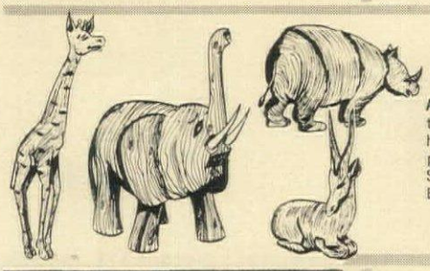


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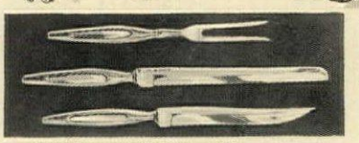
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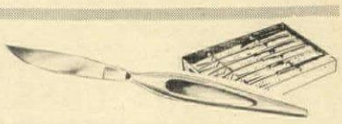
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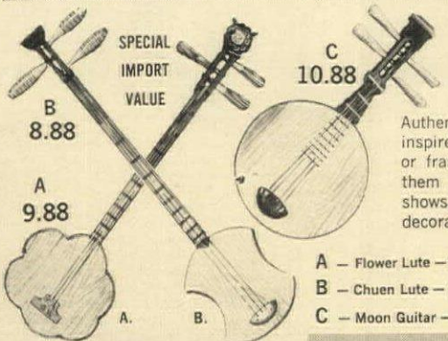
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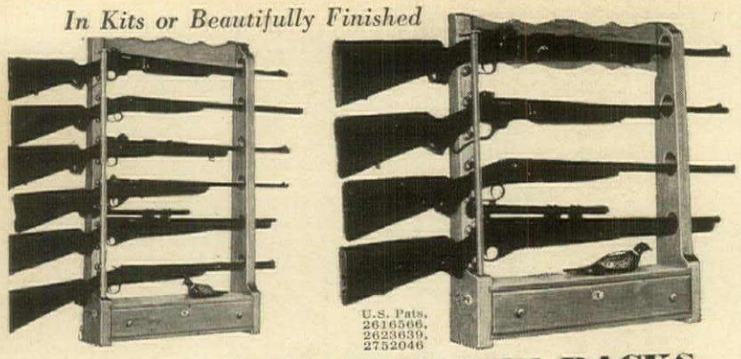
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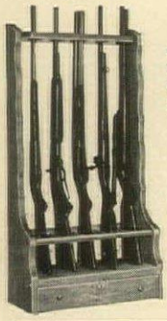
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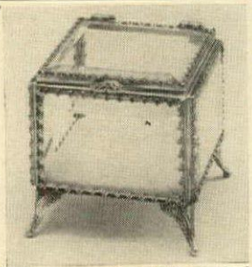
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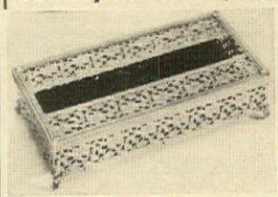
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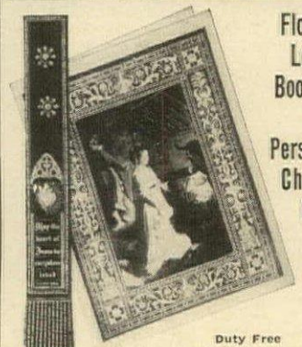
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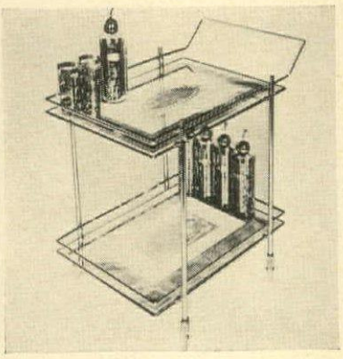
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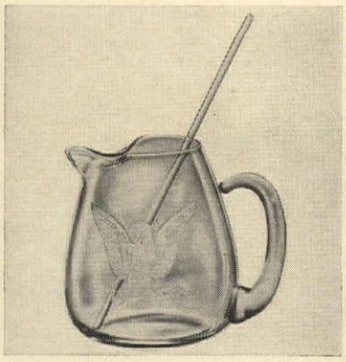
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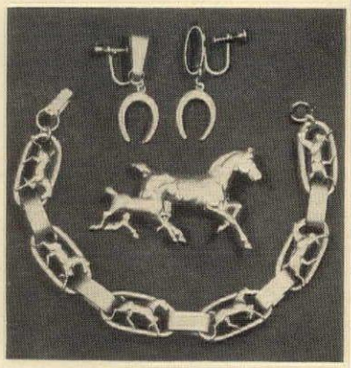
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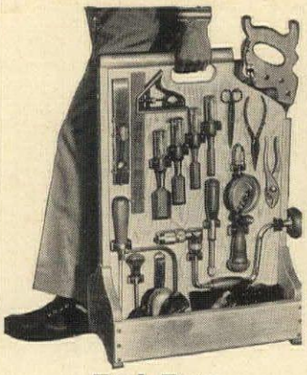


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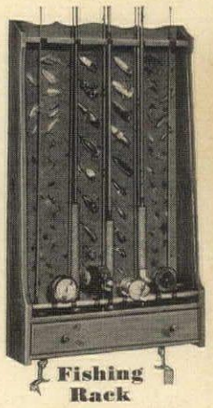
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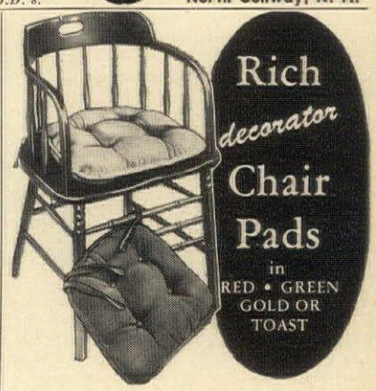
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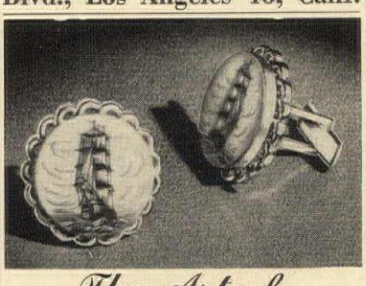
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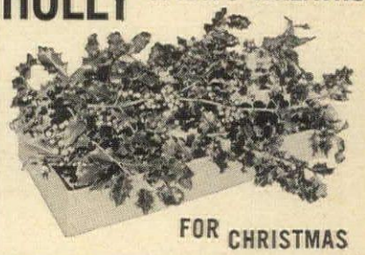
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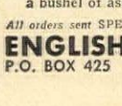


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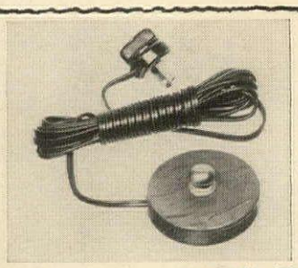


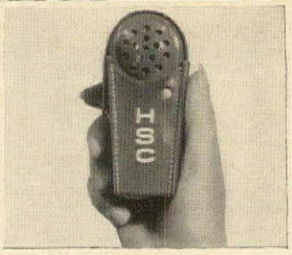
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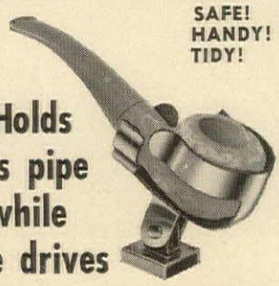


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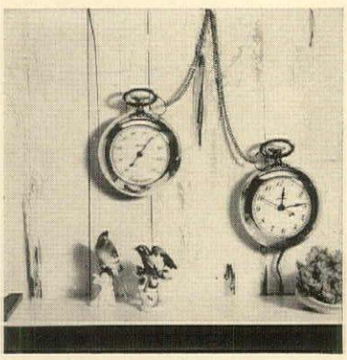
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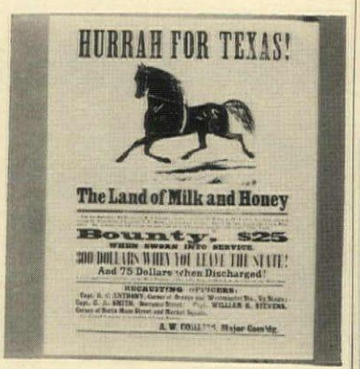
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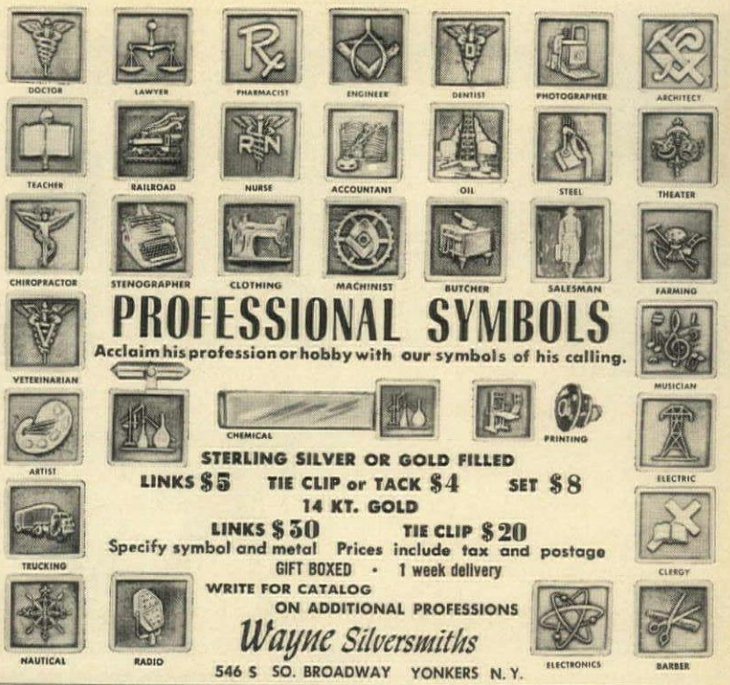
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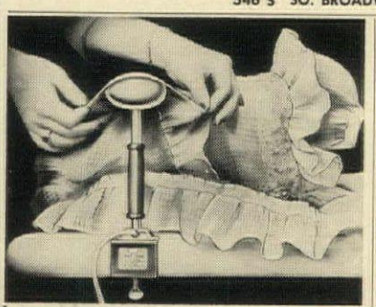
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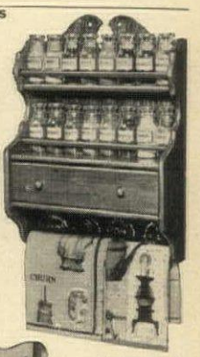
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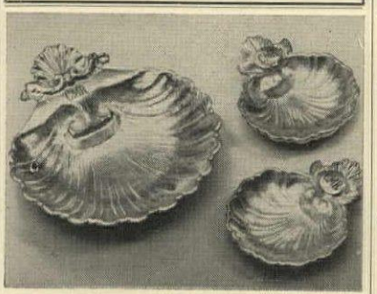
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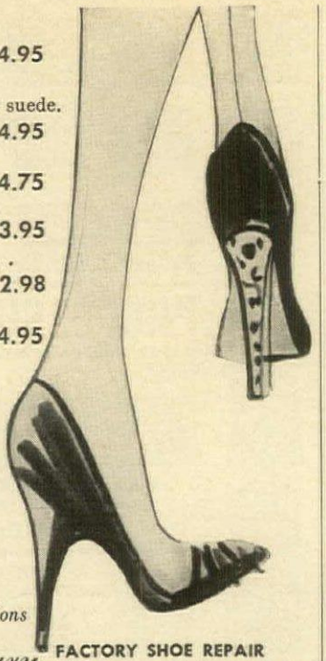
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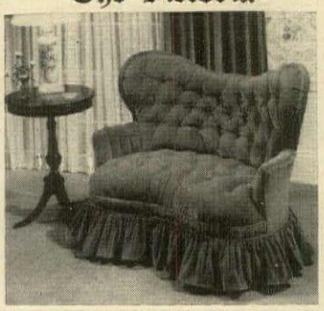


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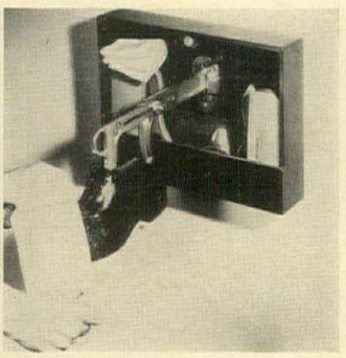
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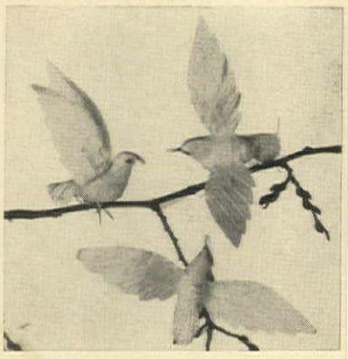
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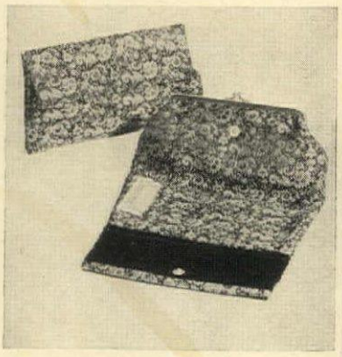
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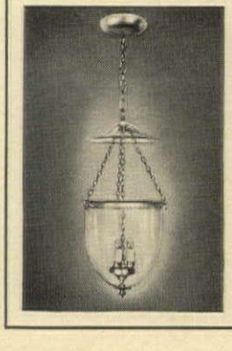
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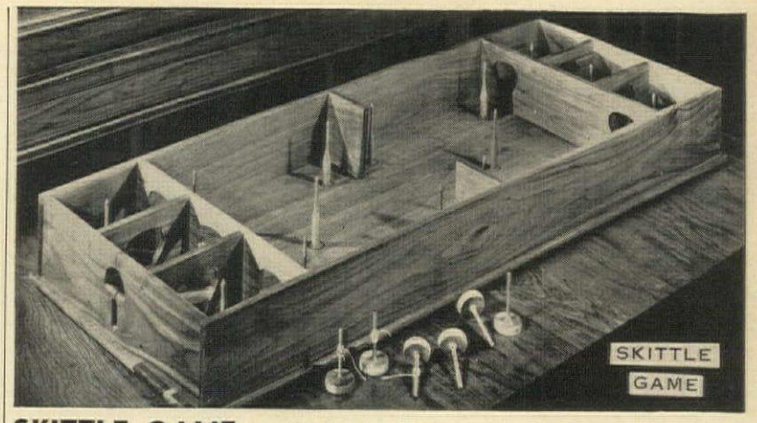
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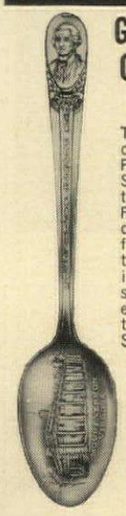
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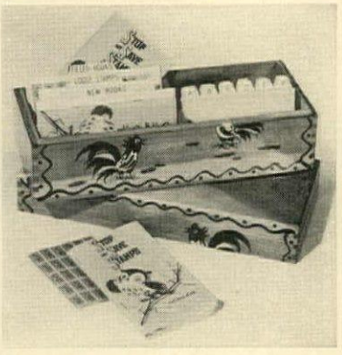
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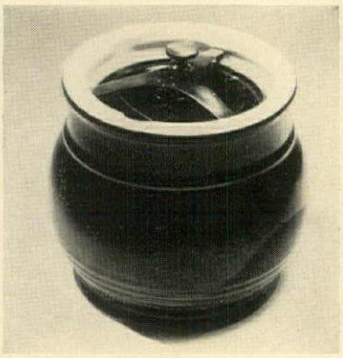
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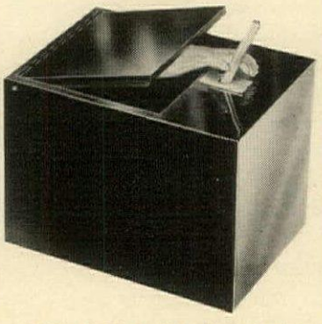
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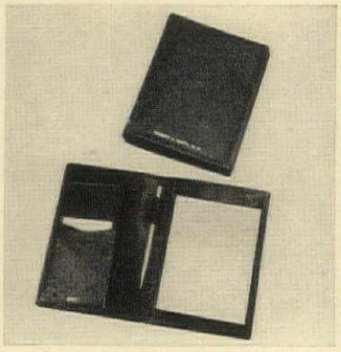
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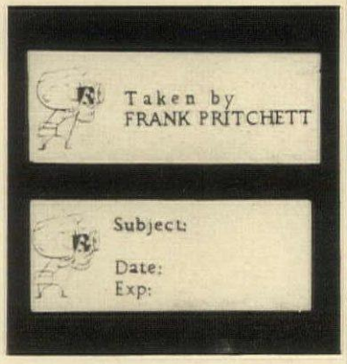
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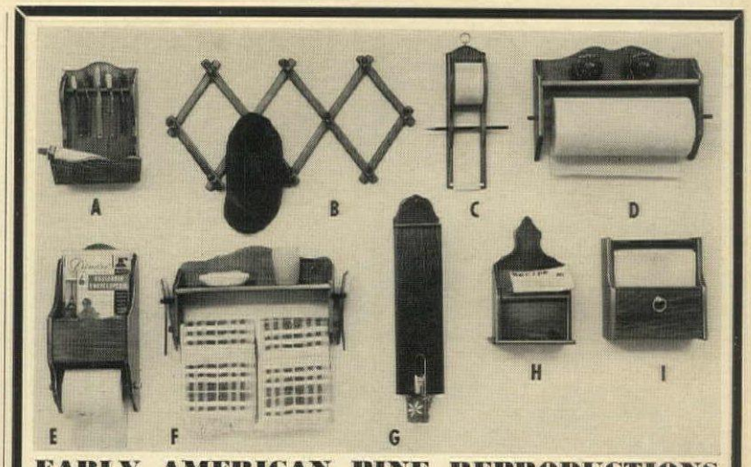
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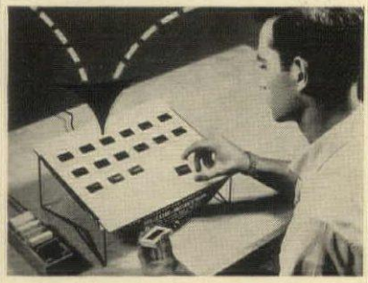
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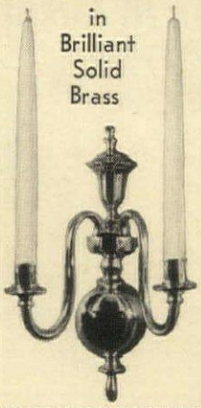
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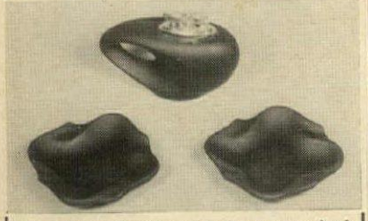
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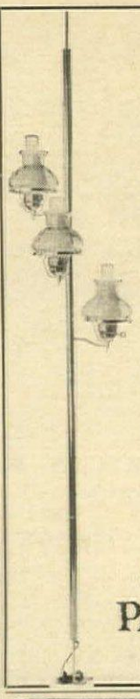
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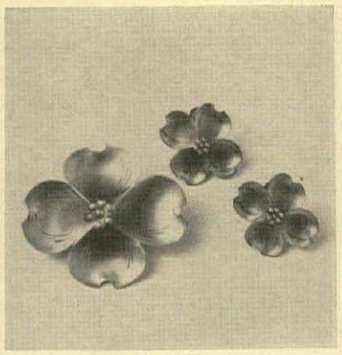
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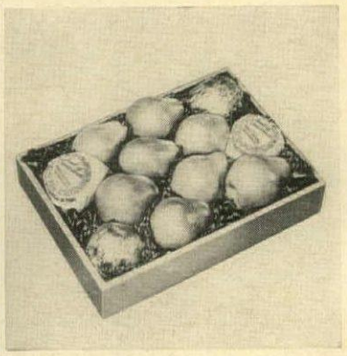
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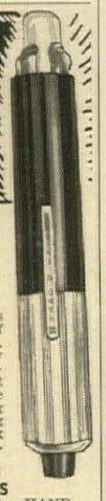
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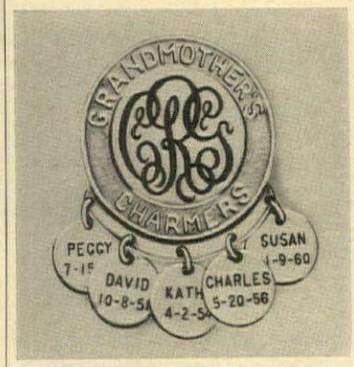
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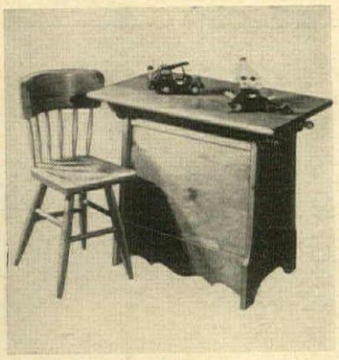


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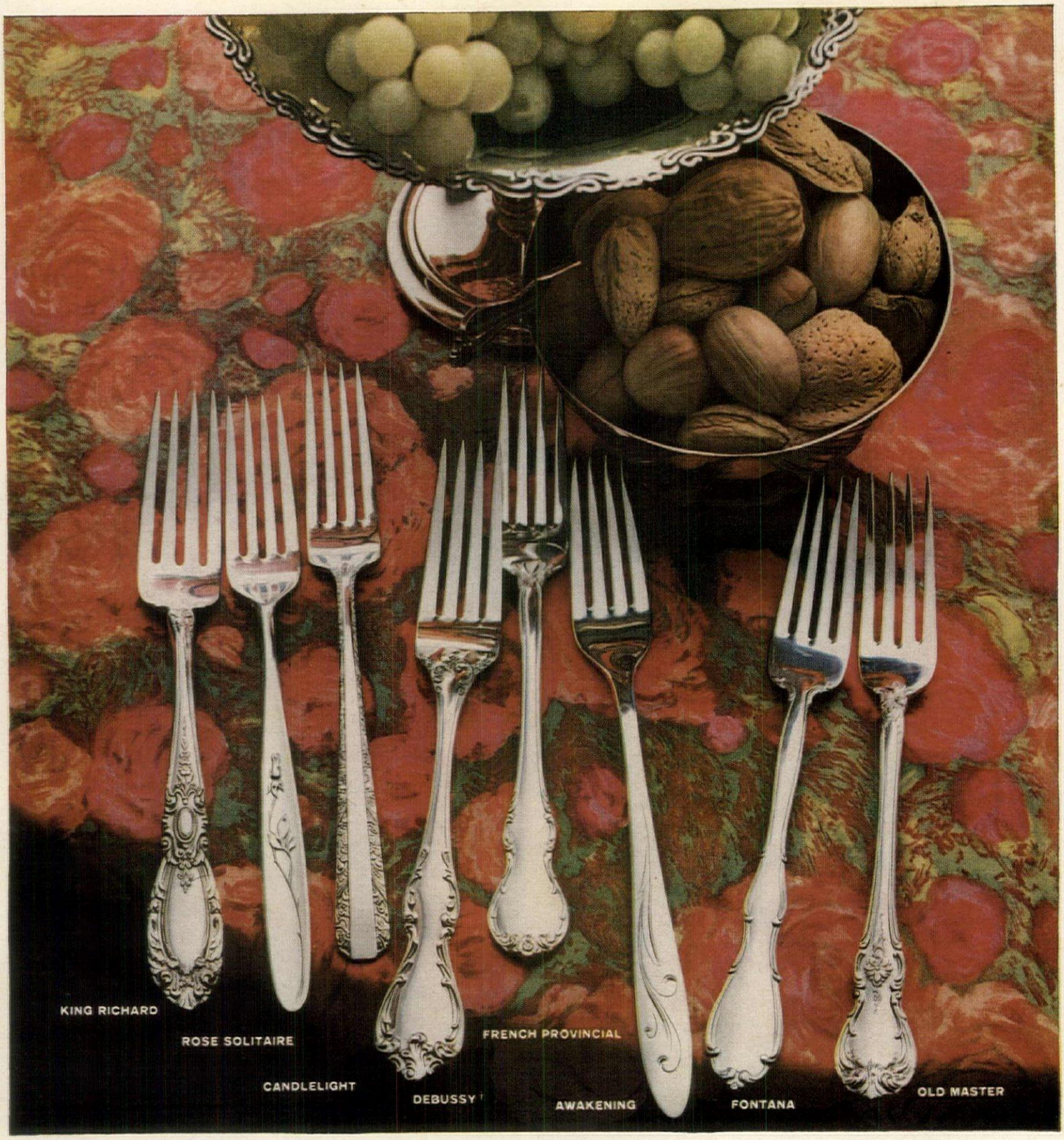


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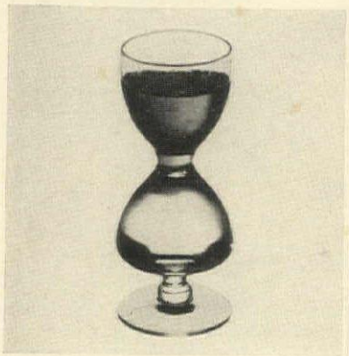
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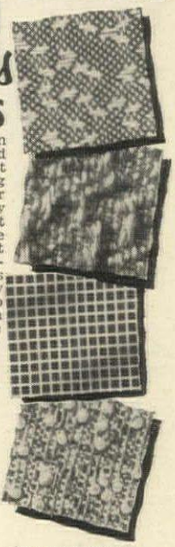
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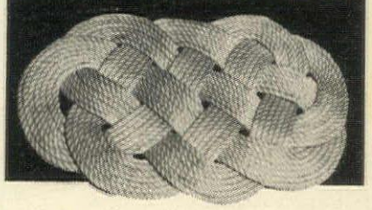
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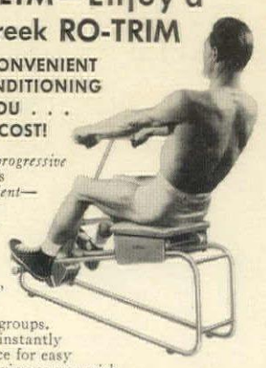
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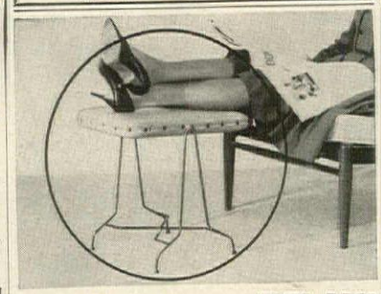
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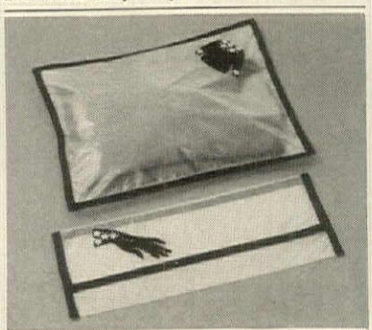
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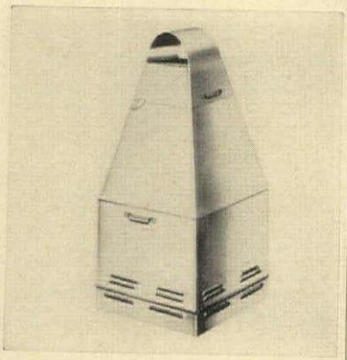
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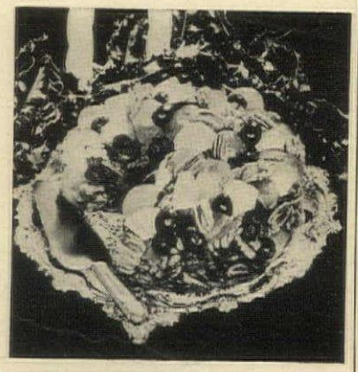
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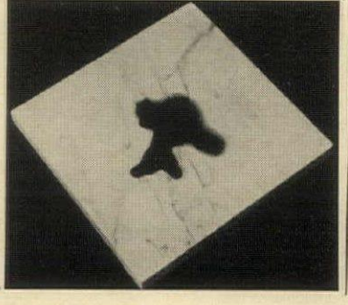
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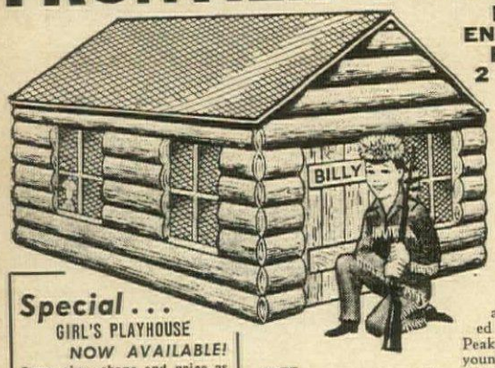
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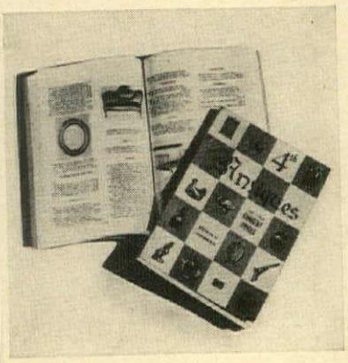
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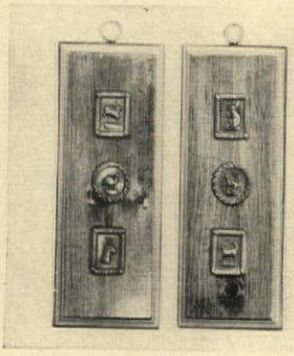
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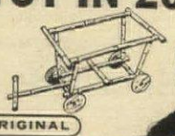
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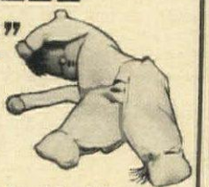
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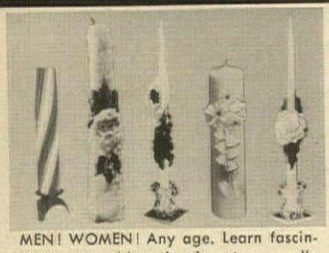


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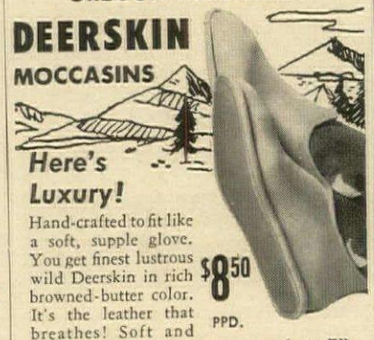


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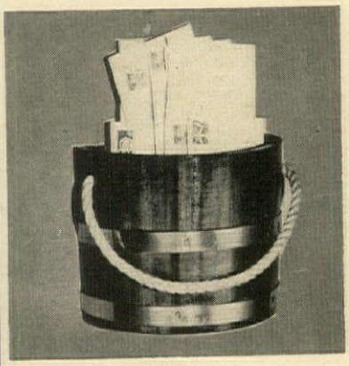
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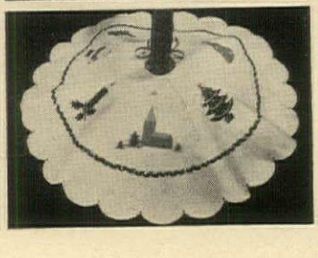


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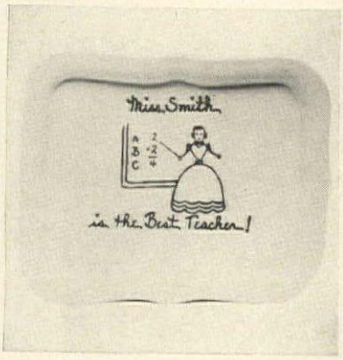
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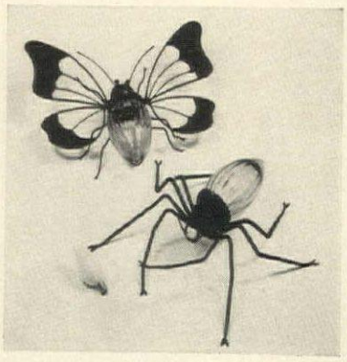
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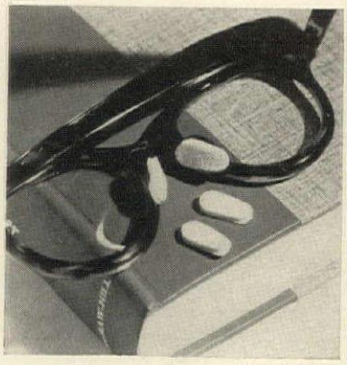
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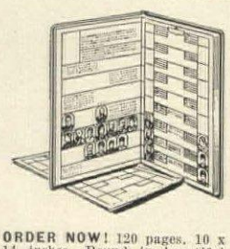
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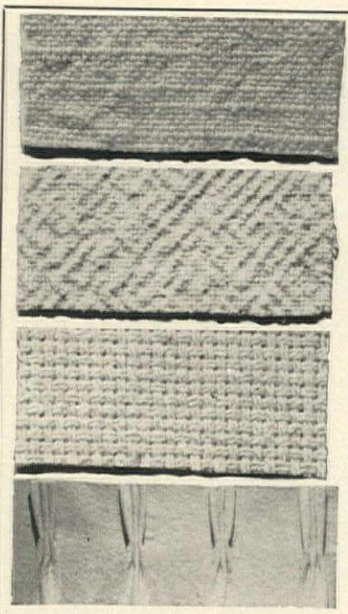
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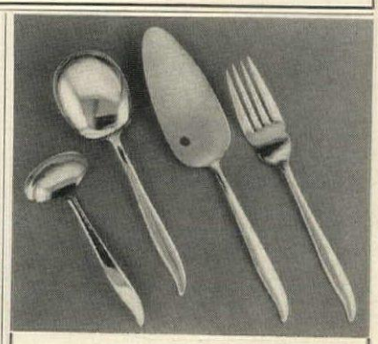
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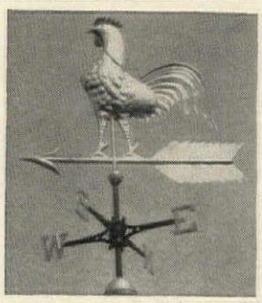
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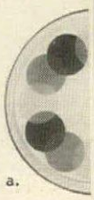
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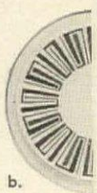


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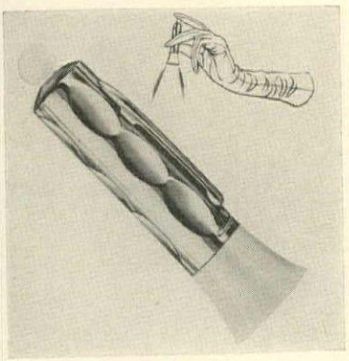
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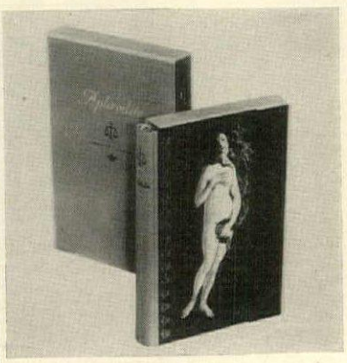
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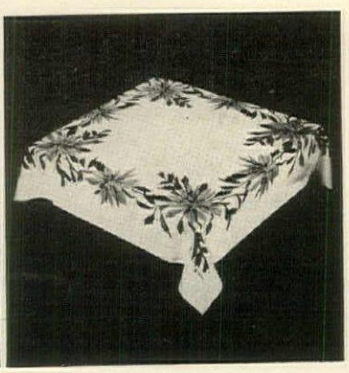
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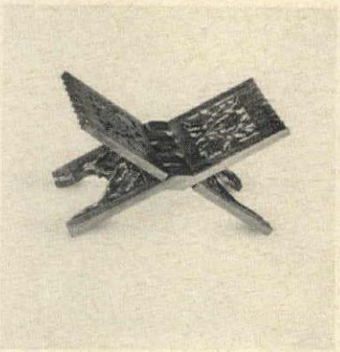
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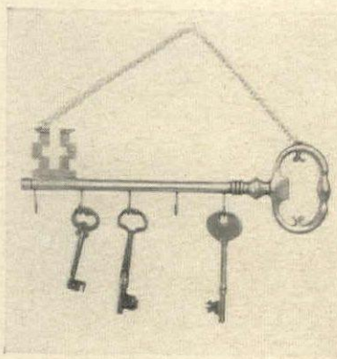
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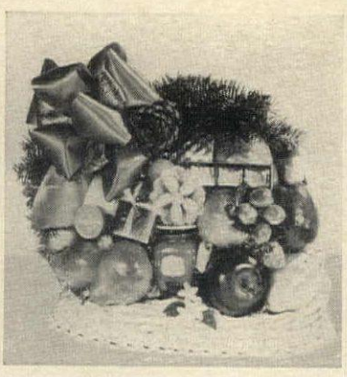
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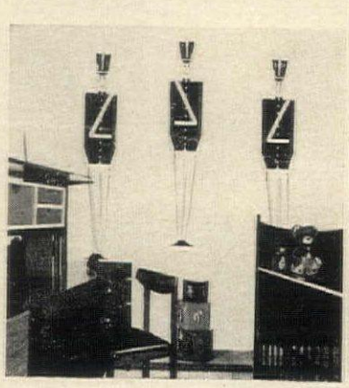
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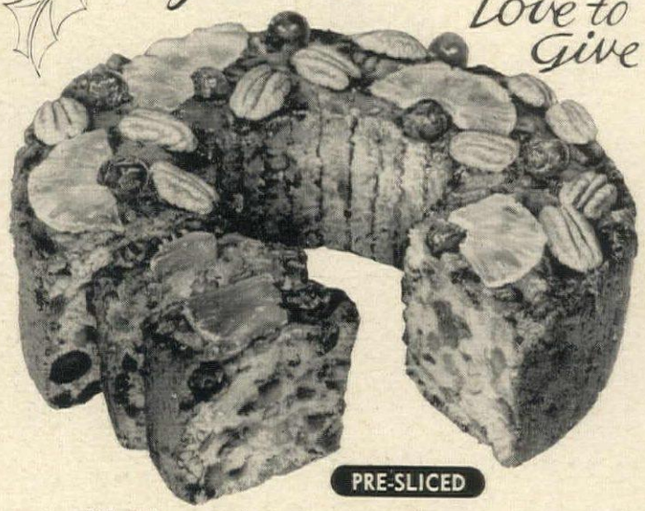


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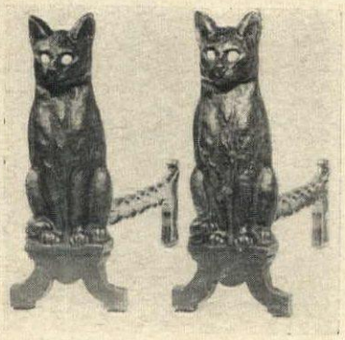
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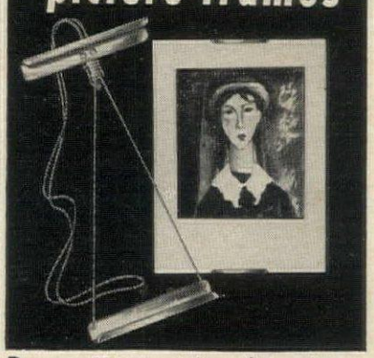
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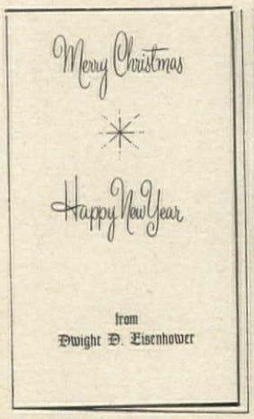
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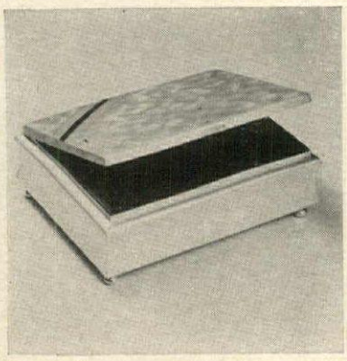
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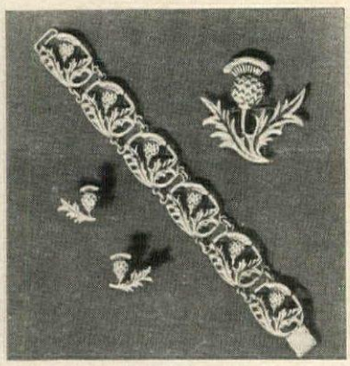
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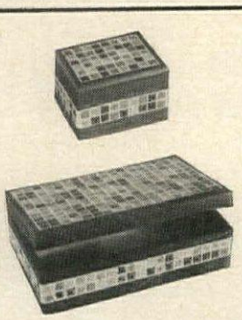
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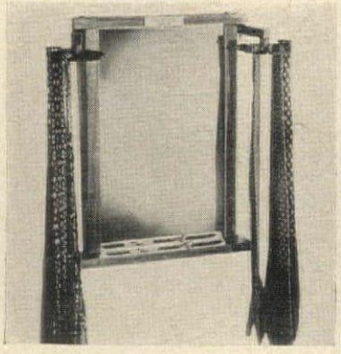
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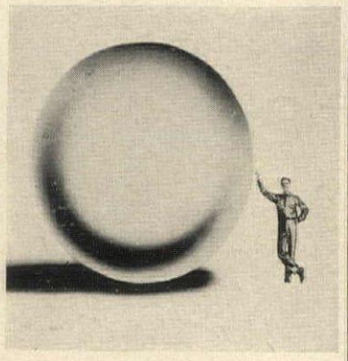
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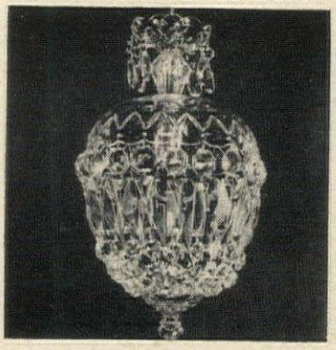


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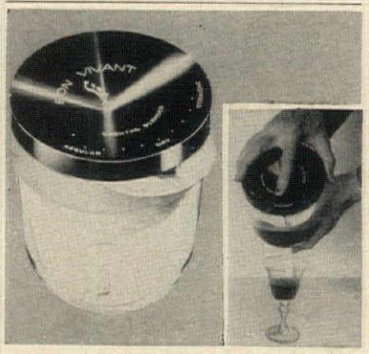
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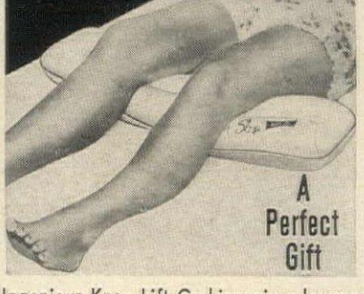
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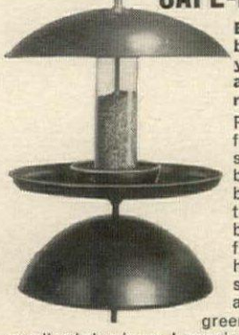
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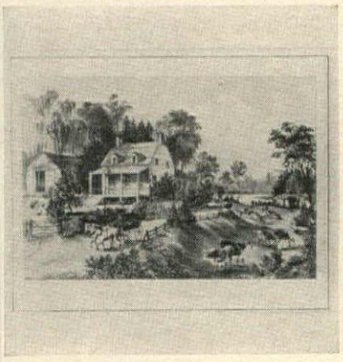
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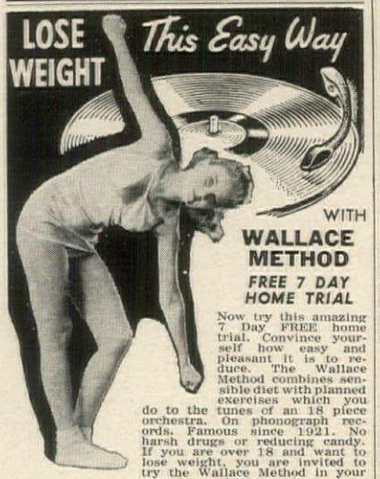
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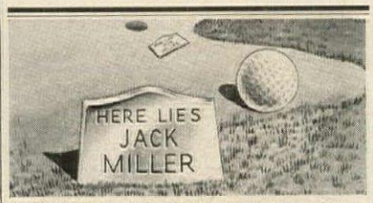
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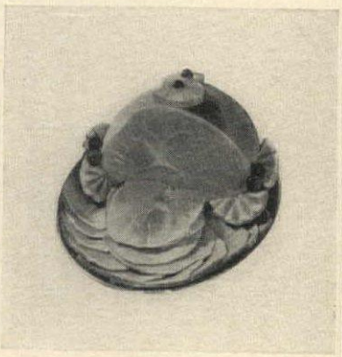
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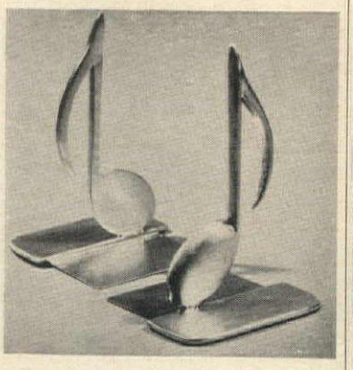
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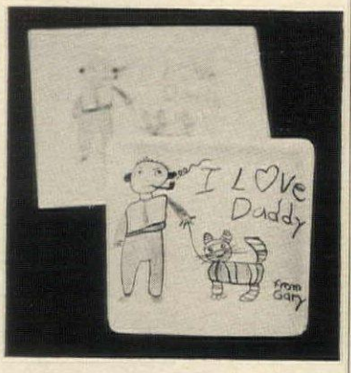
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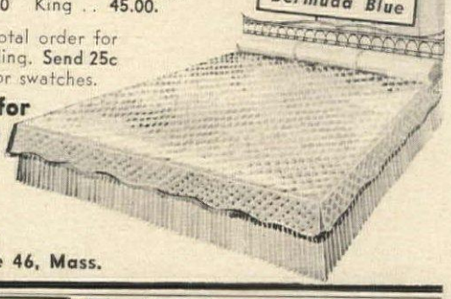
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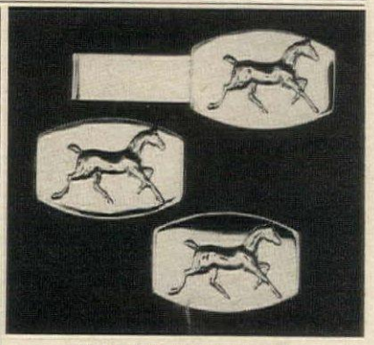
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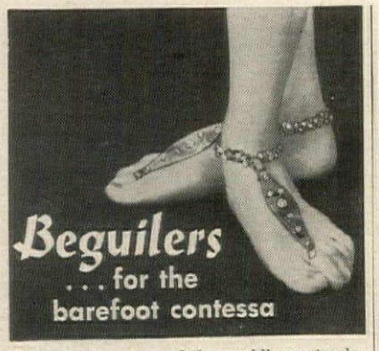
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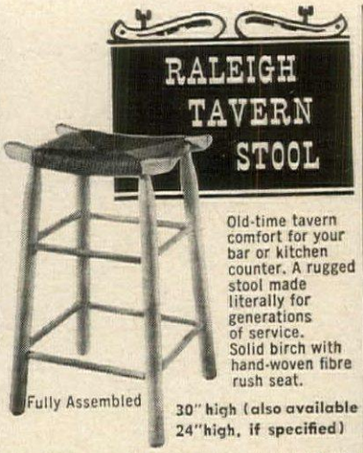


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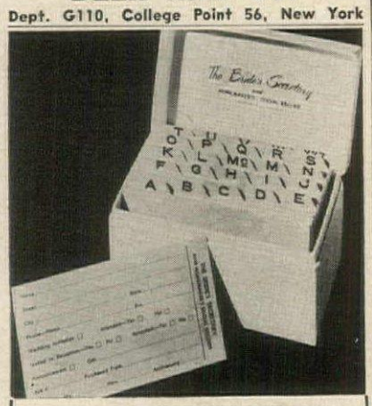
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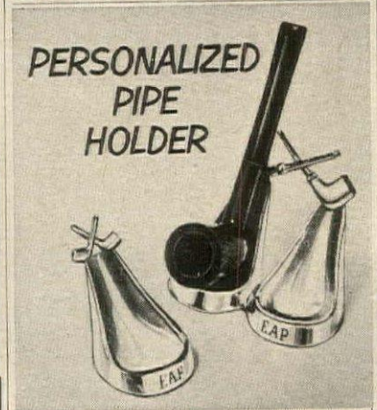
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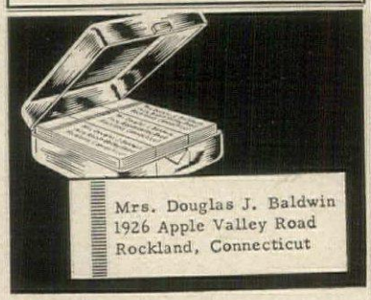
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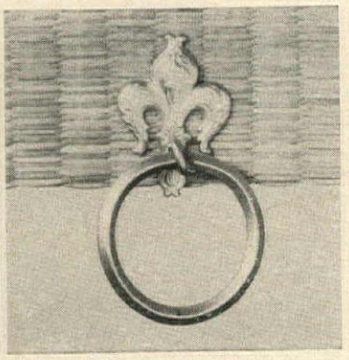
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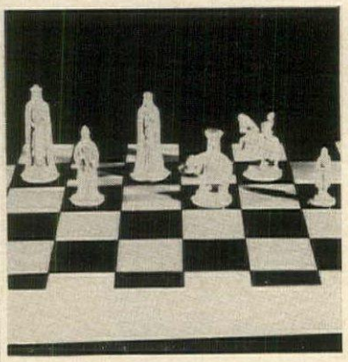
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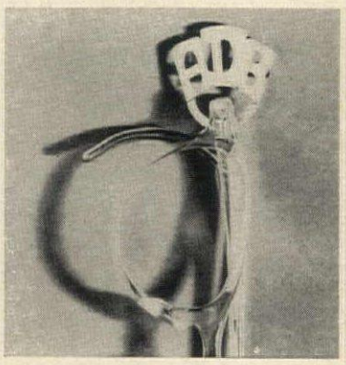
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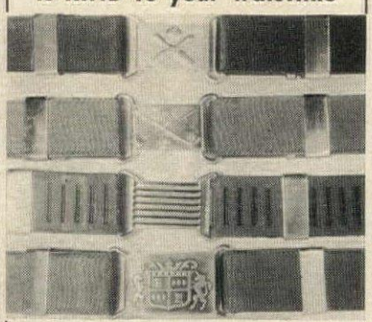
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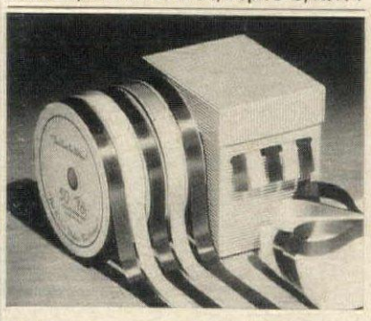


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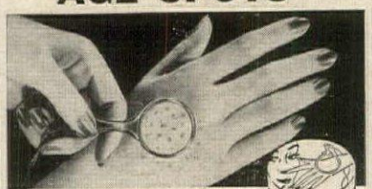
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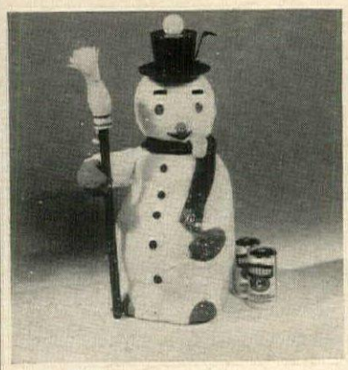
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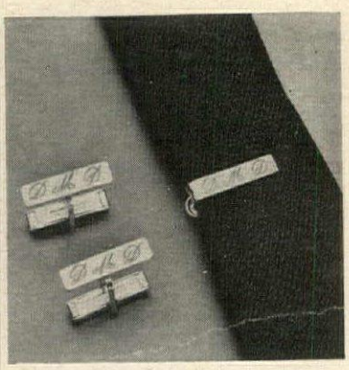
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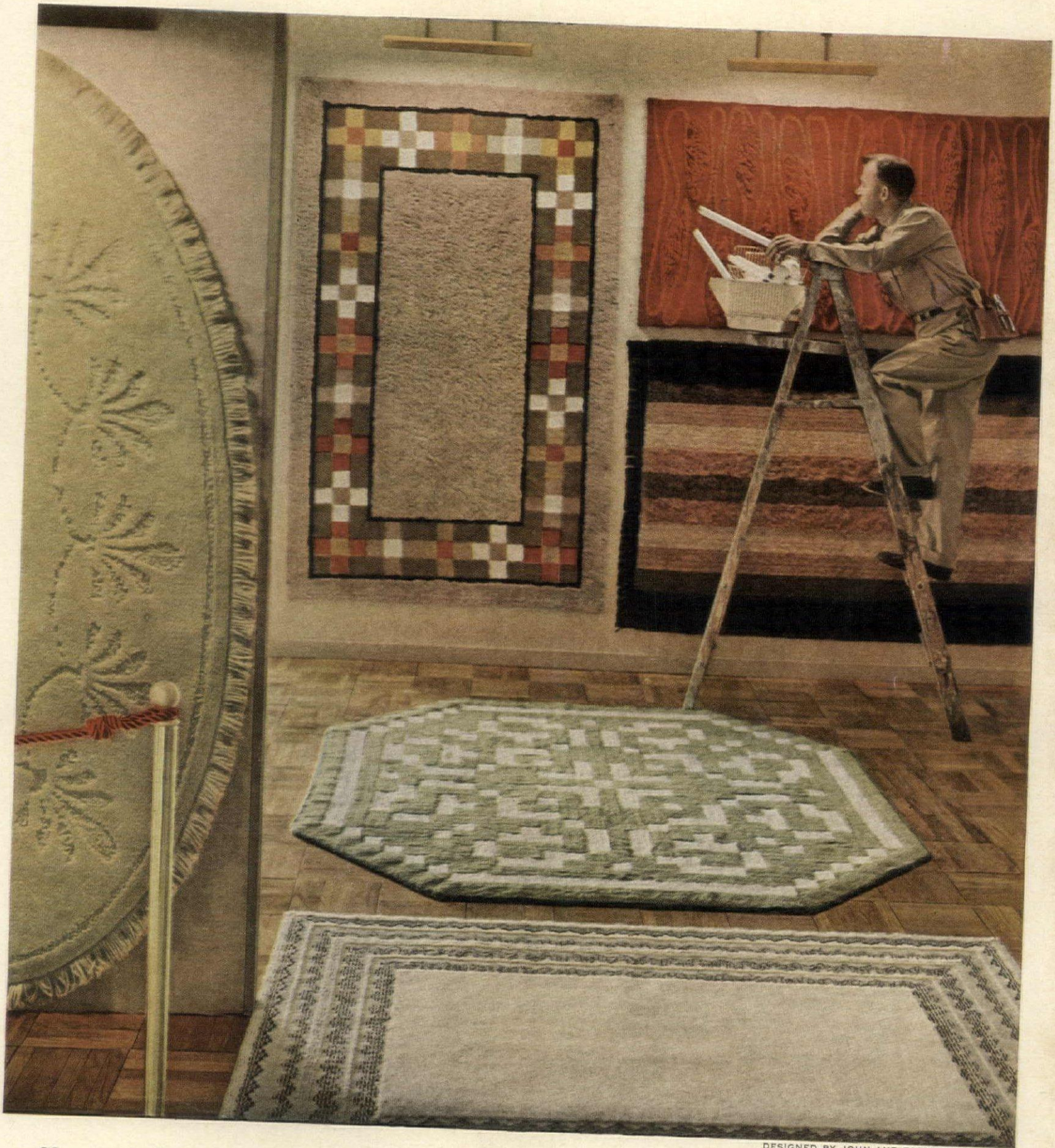
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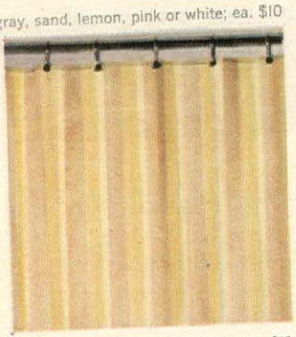
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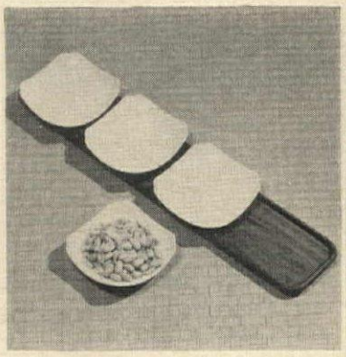
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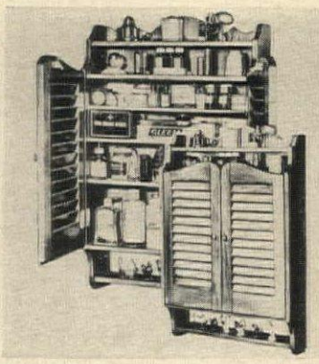
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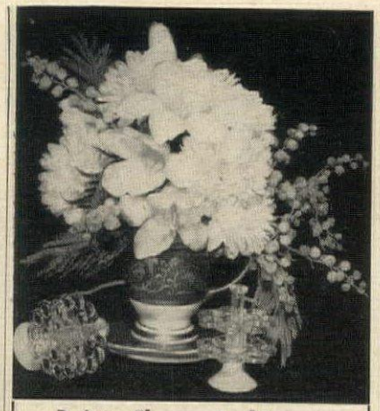
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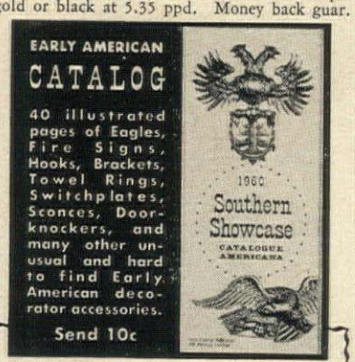
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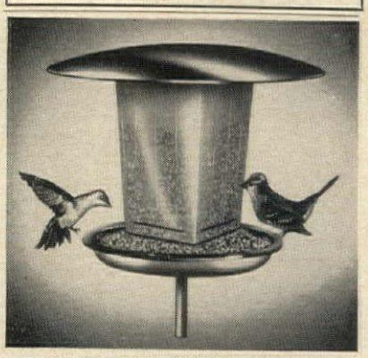


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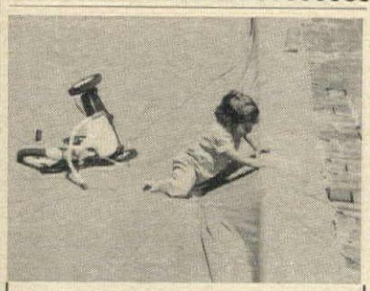
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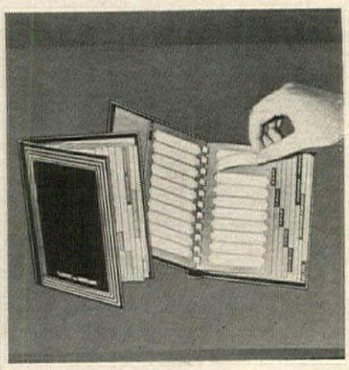
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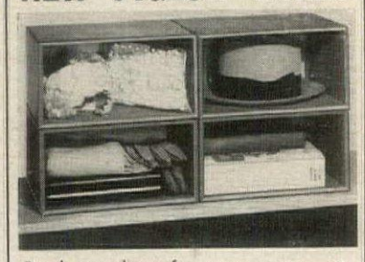
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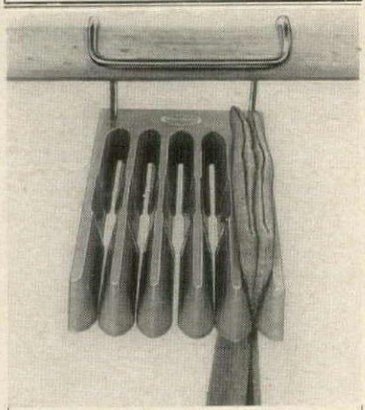
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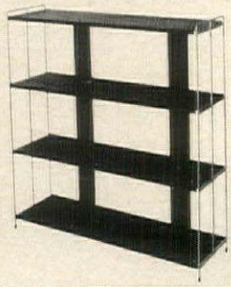
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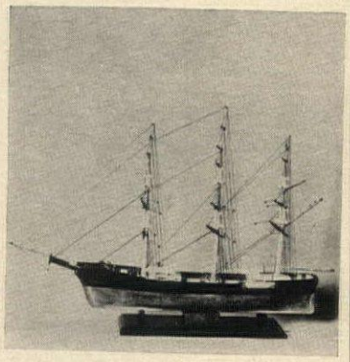
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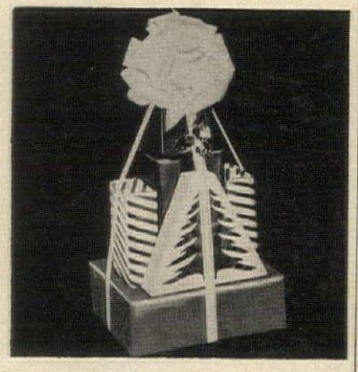
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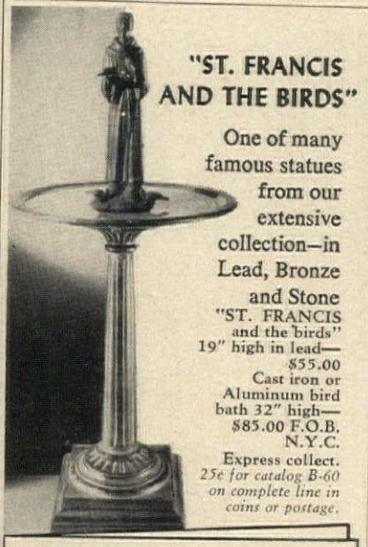


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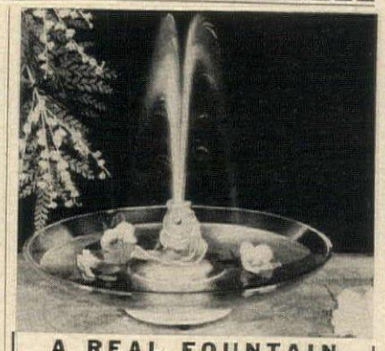
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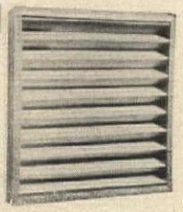
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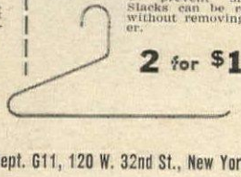


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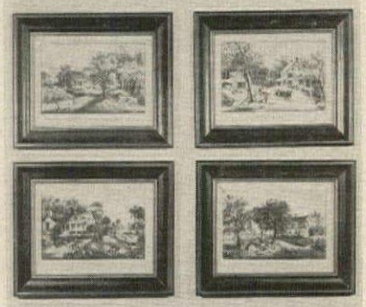


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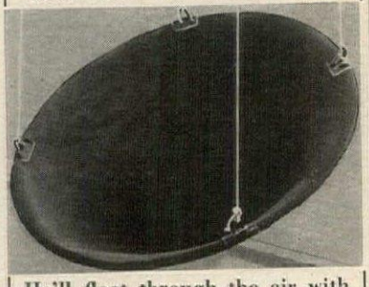
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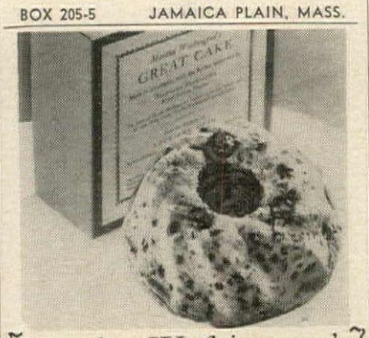
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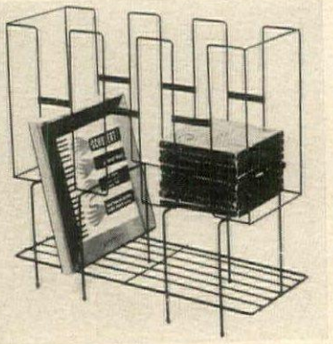
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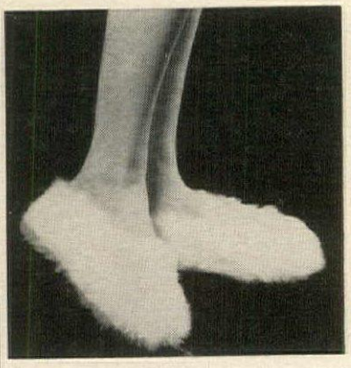
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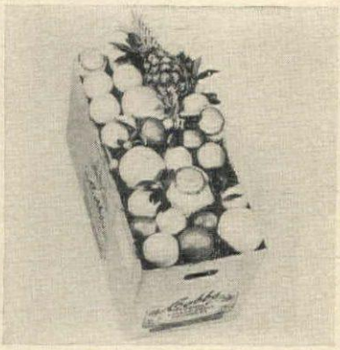
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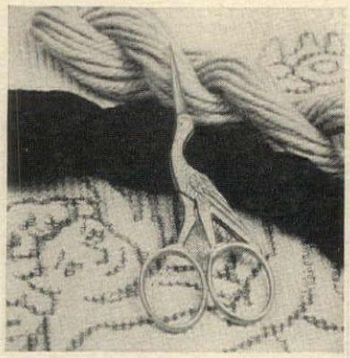
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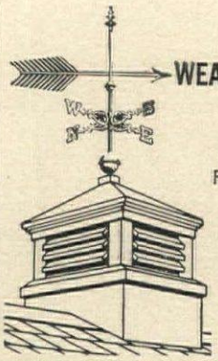
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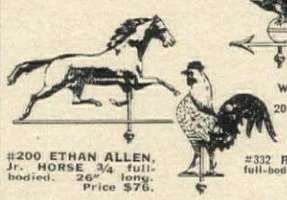


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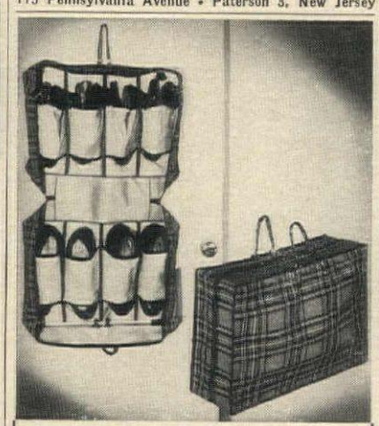
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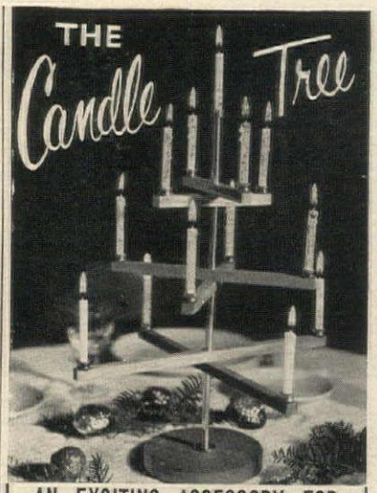
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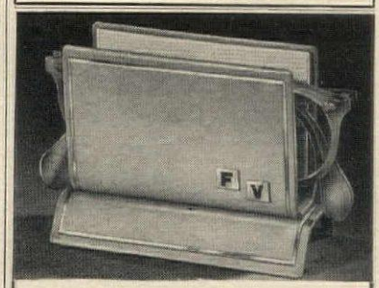
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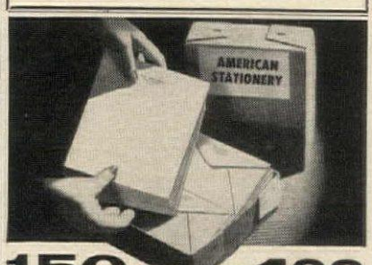


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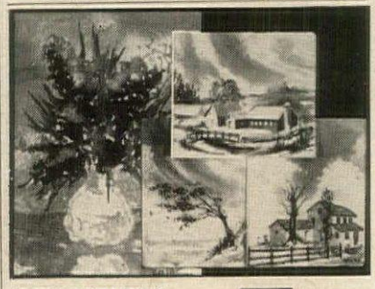
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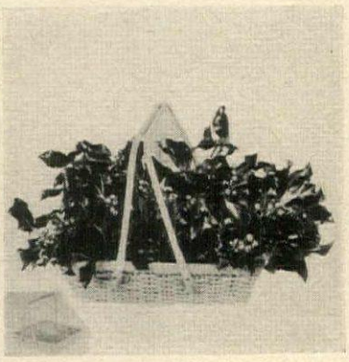
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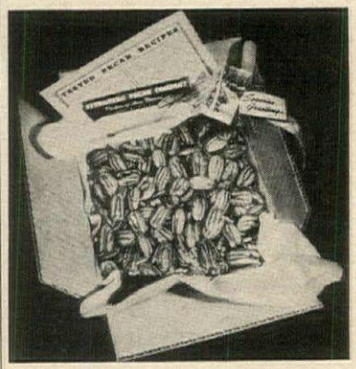
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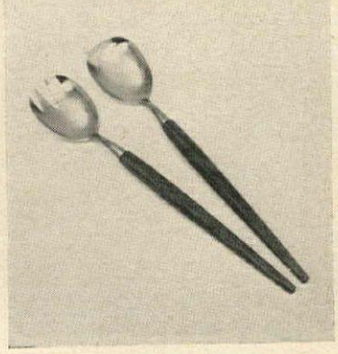
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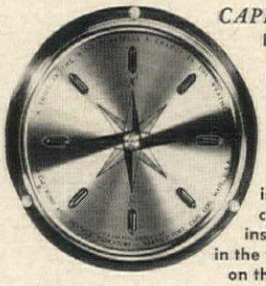
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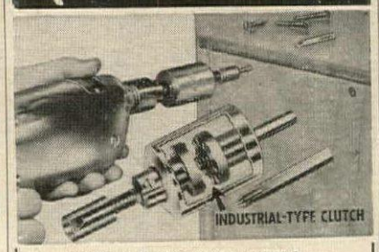
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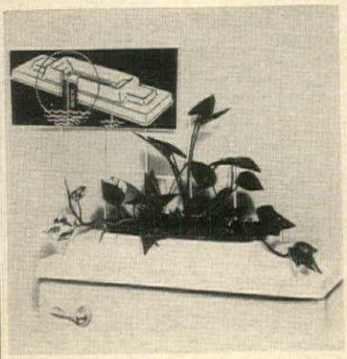
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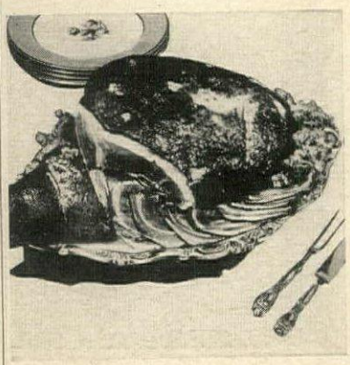
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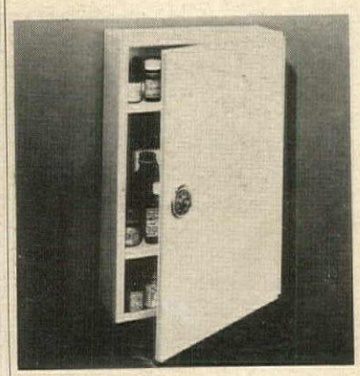
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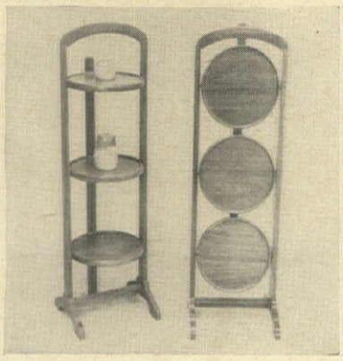
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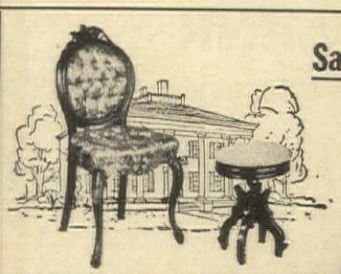
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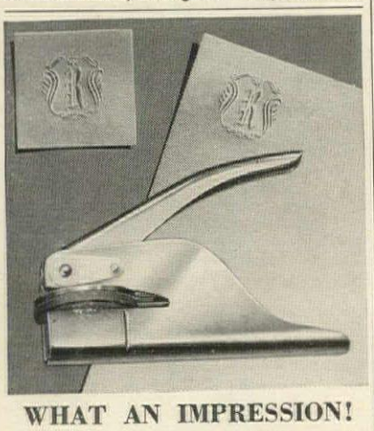
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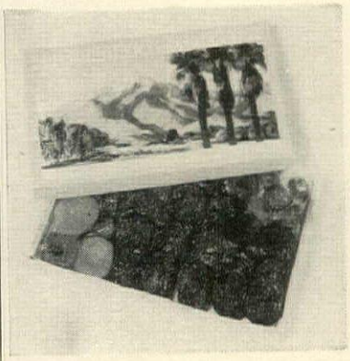
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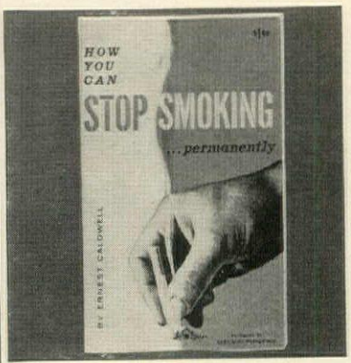
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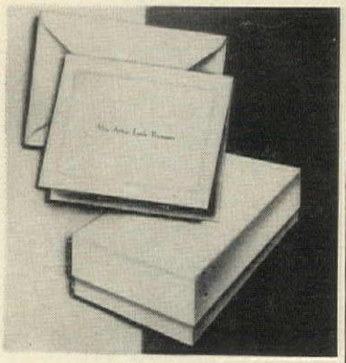
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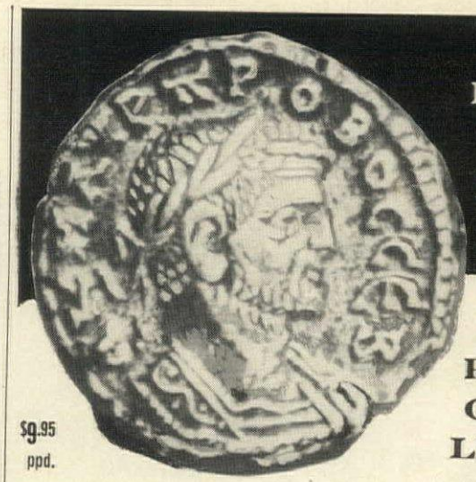


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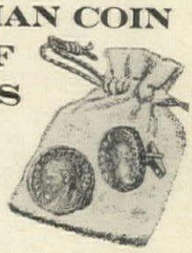
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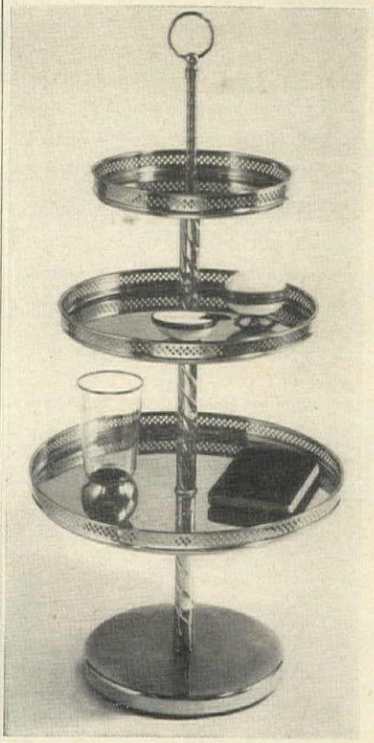
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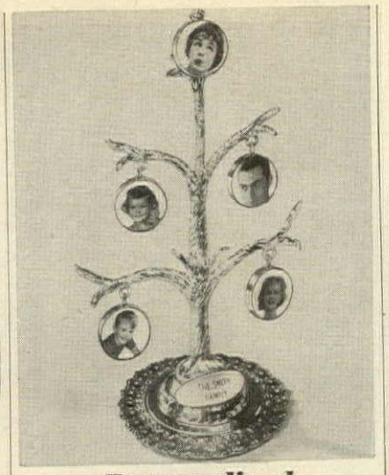
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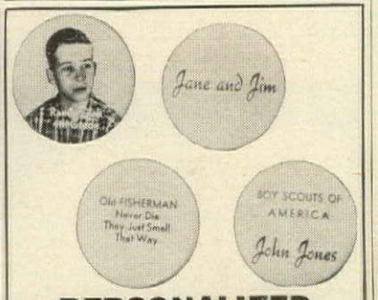


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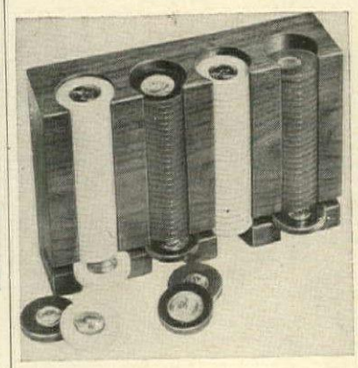
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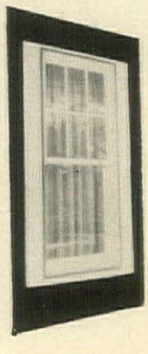


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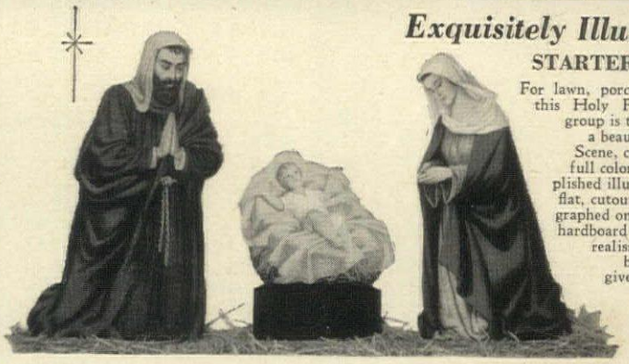


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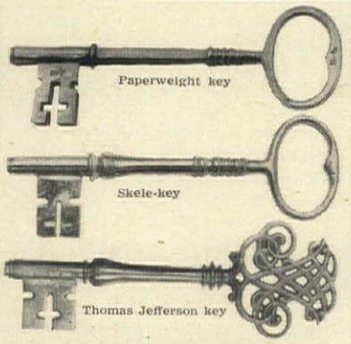
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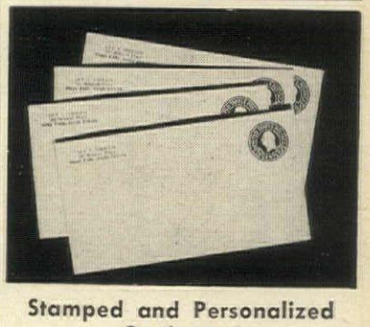
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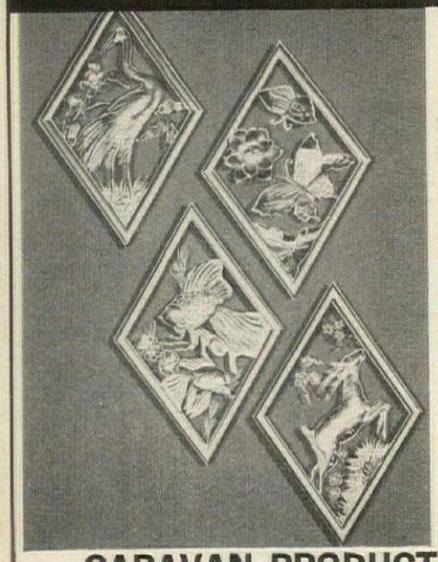
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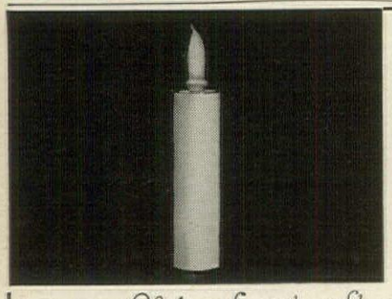
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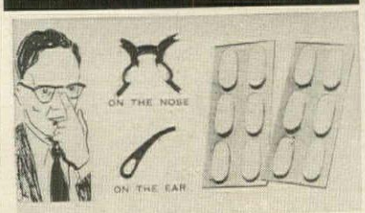
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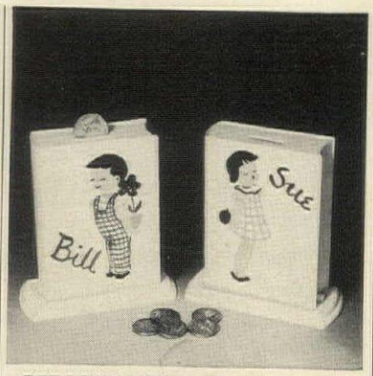


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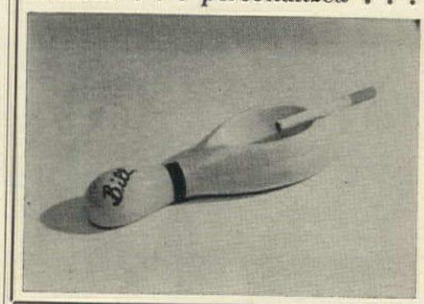
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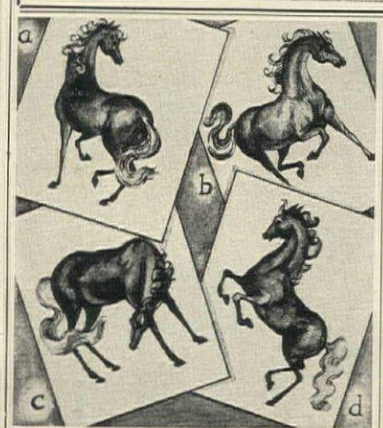


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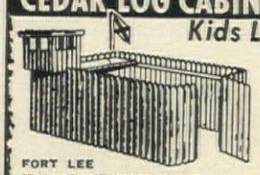
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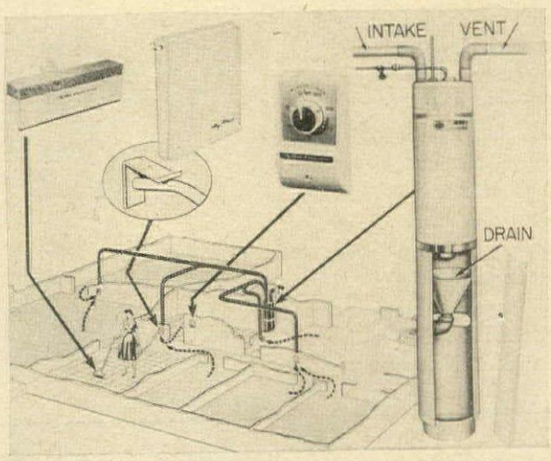
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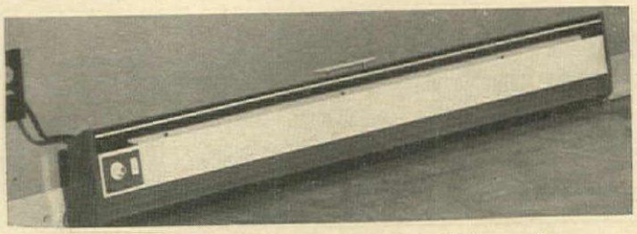
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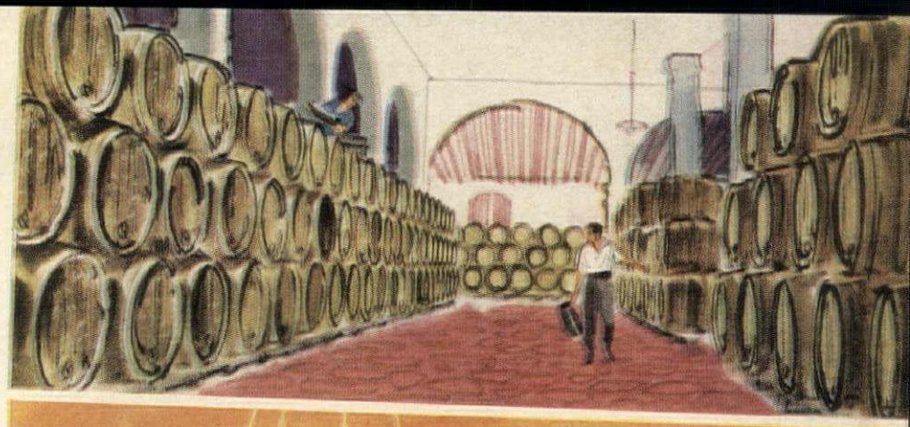
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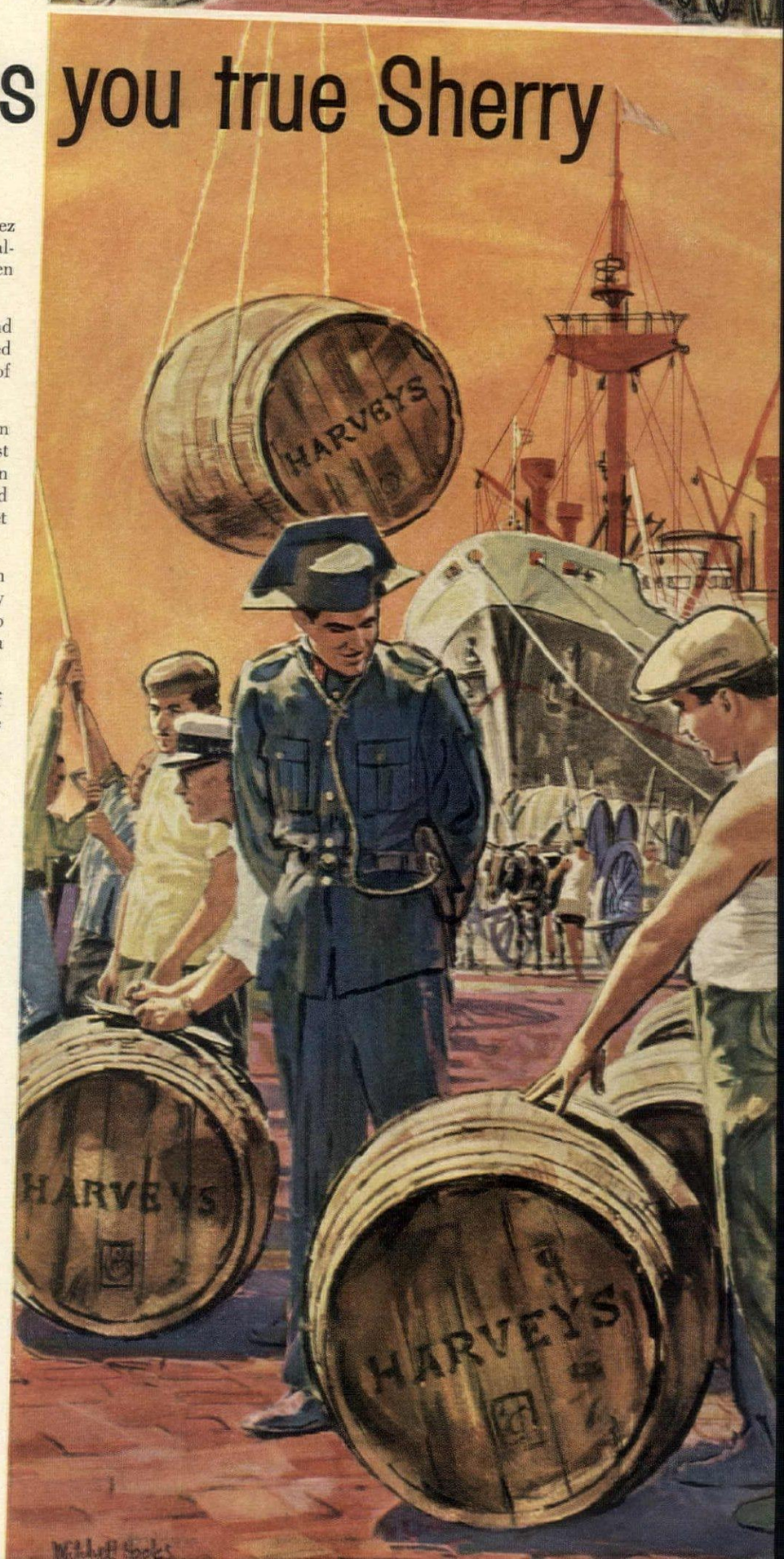
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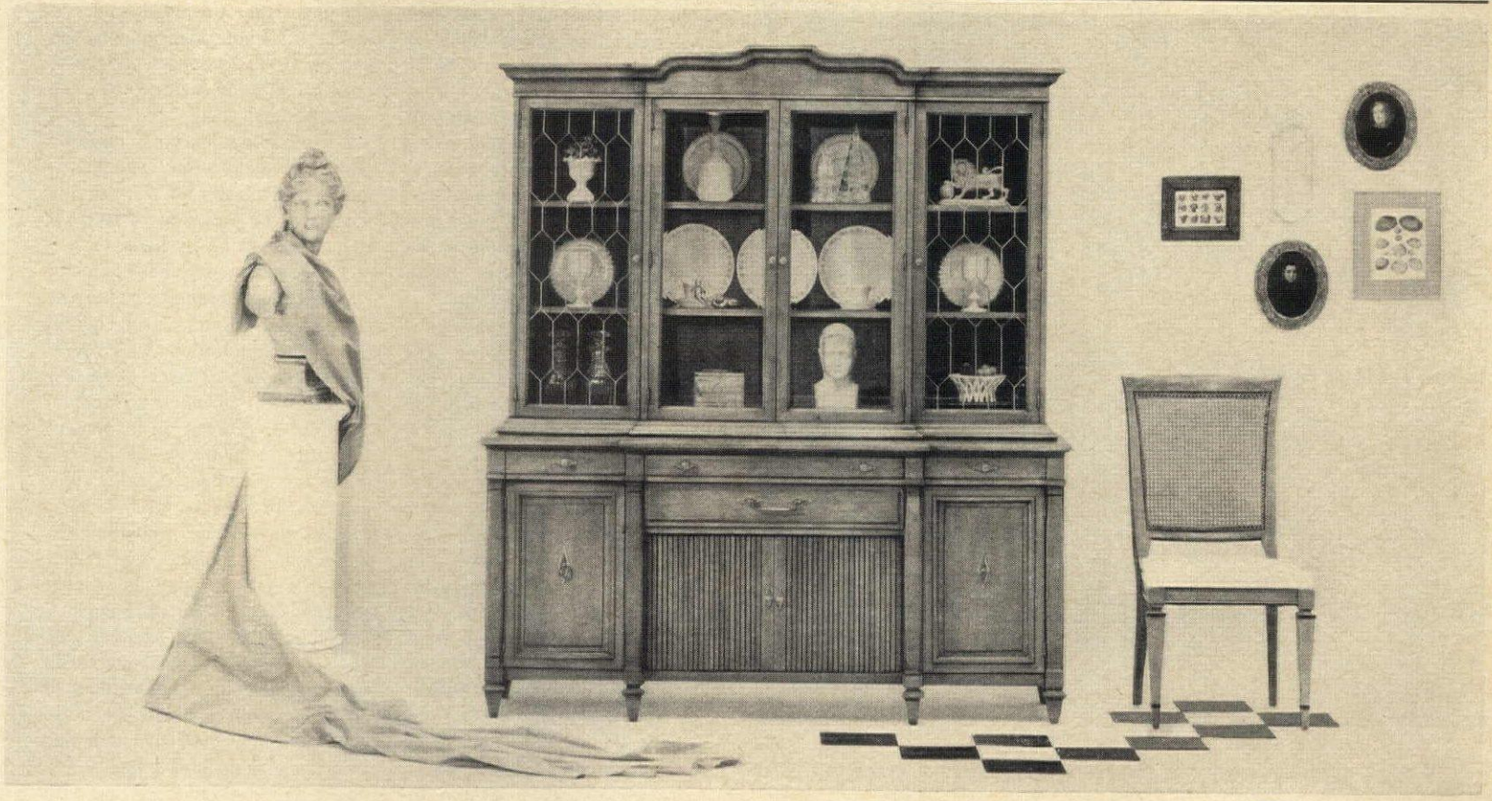
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1. Porcelain cigarette box from France is hand painted with country scenes in tones of gray and carries a pretty clasp with wreath detailing. 5¾″ by 3½″. $23.50. Bonwit Teller. **2.** Cube of crystal from France, all aglitter with glass prisms, has decorative gilt hinges and a non-scratch, felt-protected base. 5″ by 4½″ by 3½″. $39.50. Saks Fifth Avenue. **3.** Red lacquer box, a traditional gourd shape from Japan put to new use, opens in half to show black interior. 4½″ high. $7.50. Bonniers. **4.** Miniature wood chest is a Mexican import, gayly carved with animals and flowers and painted in vibrant colors. 4″ by 2″. $2.50. The Phoenix. **5.** Gilt cigarette box stamped with a basketweave design is a cedar-lined, 18k gold import from France. 5½″ by 3¾″ by 1½″. $61.05 incl. Fed. tax. Bonwit Teller. **6.** Polished pewter cylinder, a design with sleek lines from Finland, has a lid with ring handle. 4½″ high, 3½″ diameter. $15. Bonniers. Table by Harvey Probber.

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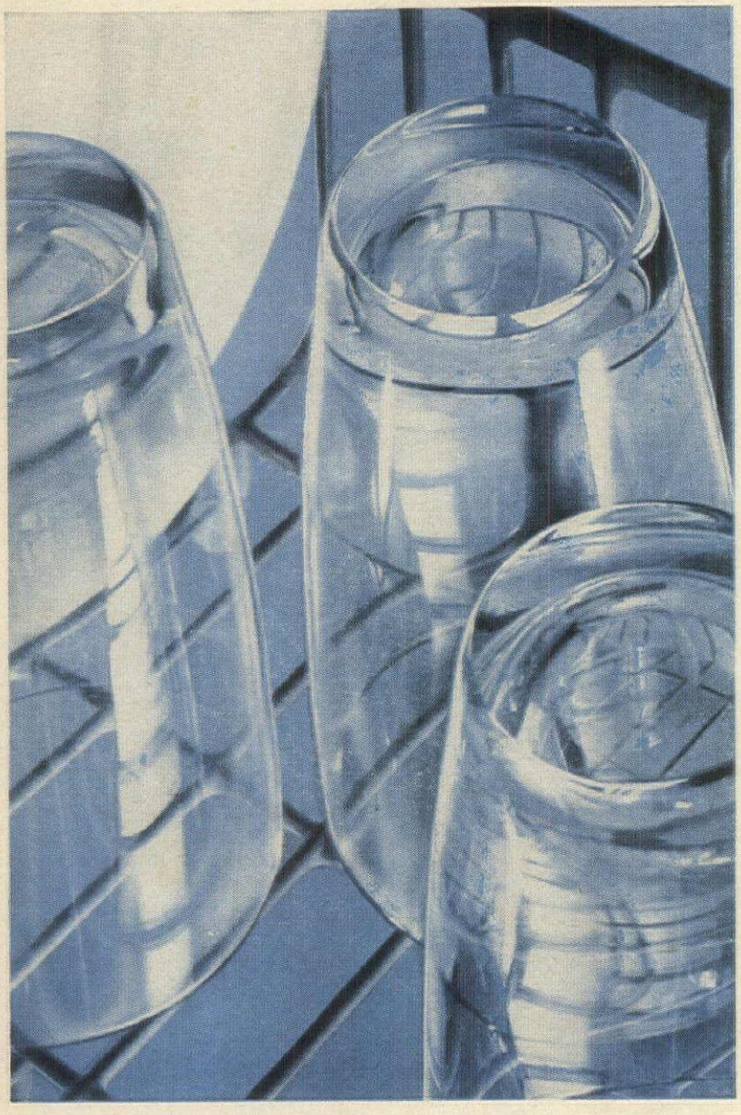
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TRADITIONAL FURNITURE

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Provincial and Contemporary. In the hands of an expert such a mixture might come off, but more often, it does not.

"Appropriate" is the key word in traditional design. Good manufacturers (by all means ask for the name if you don't see a label) take pains to see that the drawer pulls, carved decoration, wood finishes and other details of their products are appropriate to the basic design. Steer clear of flashy bits of ornamentation, eye-catching hardware without which the chest or desk would be just another nondescript box, highly unusual wood finishes with little appeal apart from their newness. You will soon find it is easy to discriminate between details that are appropriate and those that are not. As with clothes, a fancy bit of trim may beguile you for the moment but before you buy you will take a long, hard look at the material and the lines because that is where quality tells.

Once you are satisfied with the design of a piece, how will you know it is well constructed? To begin with, high standards of traditional design are often accompanied by good construction, for it is hardly worth while to spend time and effort on the design of a chair or table and then execute it cheaply of inferior materials. But occasionally this is done, so it is well to keep in mind a few basic facts about furniture construction.

First, there is the matter of hand finishing versus a machine finish. If you are looking for durable furniture at the lowest possible price many of today's mass-produced lines will suit your needs perfectly. If, on the other hand, you want something that will please you for years, and your grandchildren as well, you will want hand finishing and hand detailing and you will be willing to pay for them. How can you tell the difference?

All the experts agree that hand-finished wood has a depth, a richness and variation of grain that machine finishes simply can not match. Some manufacturers of quality furniture use spray finishes but the wood is still sanded, sprayed and resprayed, polished and waxed with what are essentially hand operations. But a table top that travels along an assembly line, receiving the same machine-applied wood stain or painted finish that the piece ahead of it received, naturally will not have the attractively varied graining of a hand-stained table top. When appraising the finish of a piece, examine a large smooth surface, since a busy bit of carving or molding can easily hide an indifferent job.

Look also at the finish on unexposed parts. It need not be of the same quality as the finish that shows, but since unsealed wood may warp, even the undersides of a piece of furniture should have a finishing coat.

Painted finishes of good quality are also applied by hand. If the finish is hand antiqued you can often see and feel a bit of wood grain through the paint, while a hard glass-like surface is usually a sign of machine finishing.

When gold trim is used, look for a rich undertone rather than surface glitter. The early cabinet makers used to apply real gold leaf over a red Spanish clay. Anodized metals are used today but often the gold-colored metal is applied over a layer of terra-cotta paint to give a modern reproduction the depth and color tone of an antique.

The wood in traditional furniture may be solid or veneered, depending on how and where the wood is used, but all good furniture should be made of hard woods, inside and out. Poplar and gumwood, sometimes used as "core" woods for mahogany or other veneers, are not as hard as birch and maple. And of course the fact that a table has a handsomely veneered walnut top does not mean that the whole piece is walnut. Ask the salesman to tell you *all* of the woods which have been used in any furniture you are considering buying.

How about carving, molding and other decoration? Again, the depth and clarity of the carving will give you a clue as to whether it has been done by hand or machine. Hand carving has clean-cut edges while machine work may be round, even splintery, at the edges. Careful examination will reveal whether a bit of decoration has been carved in or merely glued on.

Molding, even in expensive furniture, is usually cut by machine but the edges of table tops, corners of chests and similar places should be smoothed by hand. A machine edge feels sharp; a sanded edge has a gentle roundness. The difference is somewhat like that between the knife-edge of a commercially pressed pleat and the softness of a pleat pressed by hand. If you are not sure how well a particular piece has been sanded, feel an exposed edge and compare that with an unexposed edge—there should be a noticeable difference.

Certainly you would not be tempted to buy a chair or table that was shaky at the joints or had obviously uneven joining. Yet sometimes even furniture with ap-

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CIGARETTE BOXES



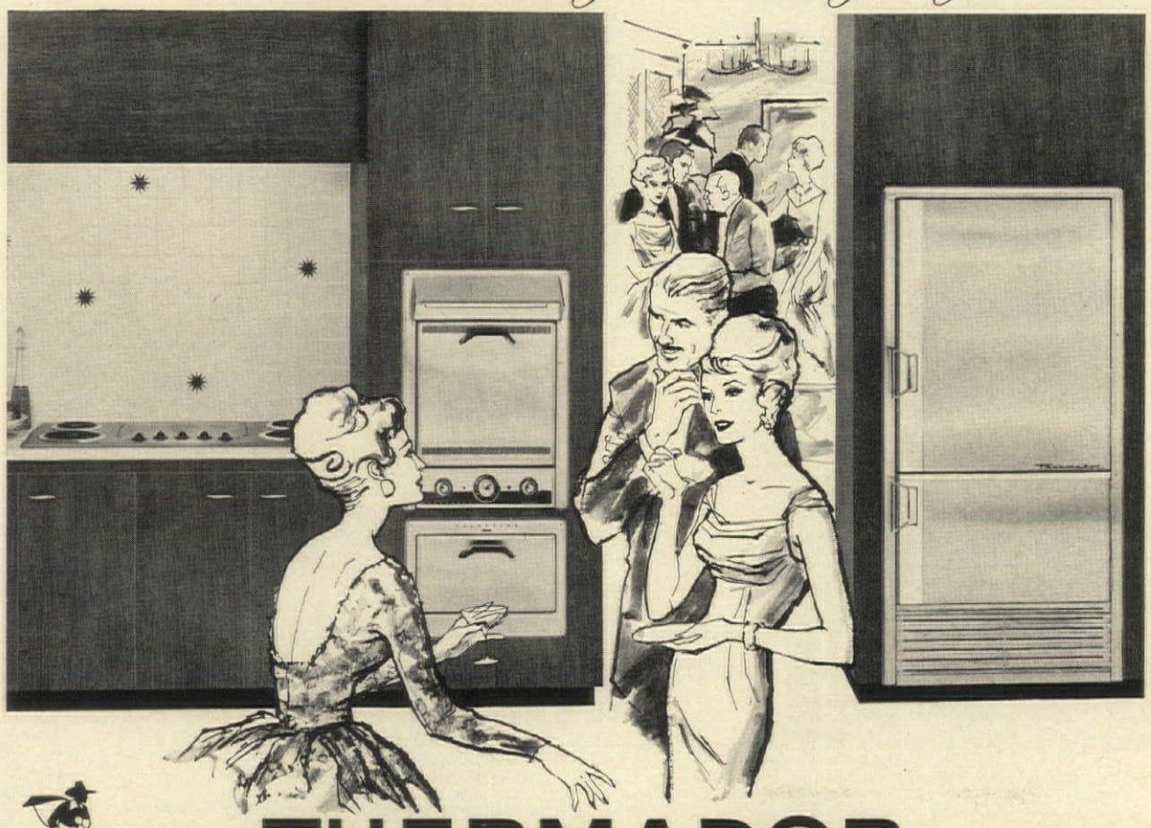
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1. Antique Chinese box dating back to the early 19th century recalls a temple vase in shape and is lacquered in black with red figures and gold details. 6½″ long. $30. Tom Durkin. **2.** Black calfskin-covered box has brass lift bar. 6⅝″ by 4¼″. $14. Mark Cross. **3.** Wooden chest with panels of silvered glass framed with gilt wood moldings is embellished with h nd-painted green floral motifs. 8″ by 4″. $15. The Phoenix. **4.** Black marble box from Italy is inlaid with yellow, green and orange marble chips in a butterfly design. 4⅜″ by 3¼″. $75. Piazza Montici. **5.** Pentagonal box of brass and glass stands on brass feet. 6″ high. $9.75. East House. Table by Harvey Probber.

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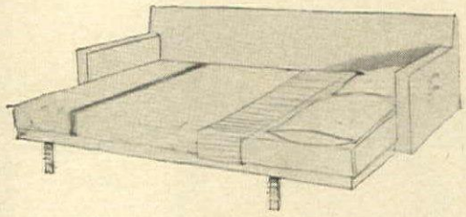
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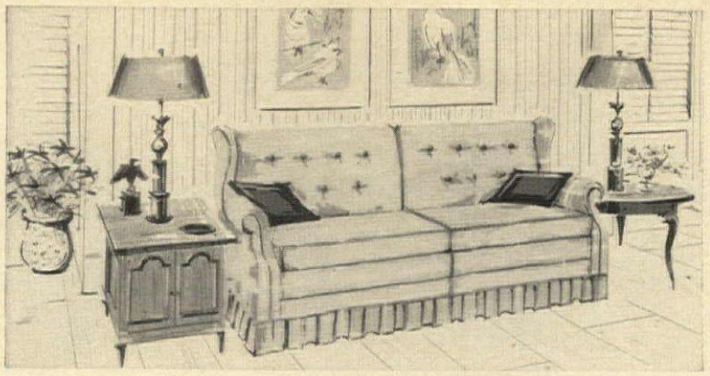
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Whichever style you prefer, you can make the most of your sofa's good looks and convertible assets by planning your other furniture around it. You might add an attractive chest, highboy, armoire or other storage piece where space permits to keep bed linens. If your sleeper is one of the open-up variety, you won't want to obstruct it with cumbersome furniture; for instance, end tables and shelving behind the sofa can replace a cocktail table in front of it. For the same reason, avoid small rugs that have to be tucked under or smoothed down when the frame slides out. *All prices quoted in muslin.*



A contemporary sofa with double bed capacity would serve with distinction in a living room. Sofa comes with a foam rubber cushion and three plump Dacron-filled back pillows; legs have a walnut finish. Companion pieces might be a lacquered chest to hold bed linens and a hanging lamp that adjusts to reading-in-bed height. 84″ long. $465. Metropolitan Furniture.

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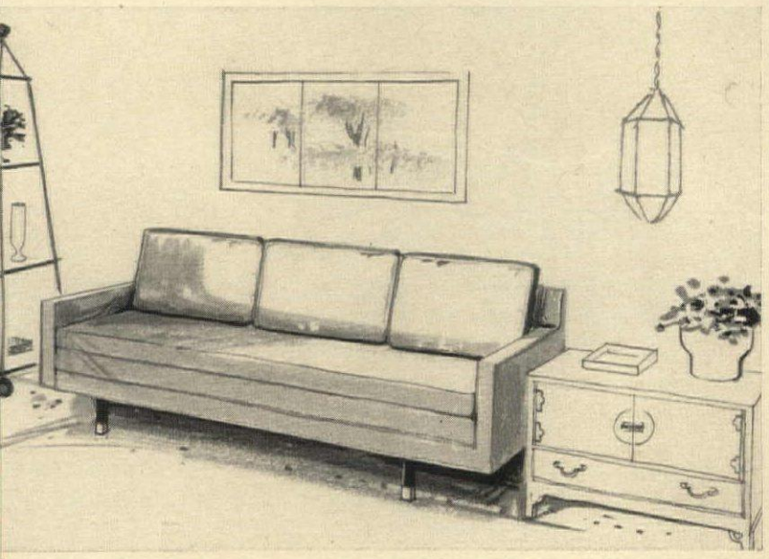


A colonial couch that opens up to sleep two on a foam rubber mattress can change your study into a guest room on a moment's notice. Wing arms, deep tufting and a box-pleated skirt are Early American details. For background you might cover a wall in striped ticking and brighten it with an accent color in mats framing a pair of prints. Sofa, 73″ long, $259.50. Kroehler.



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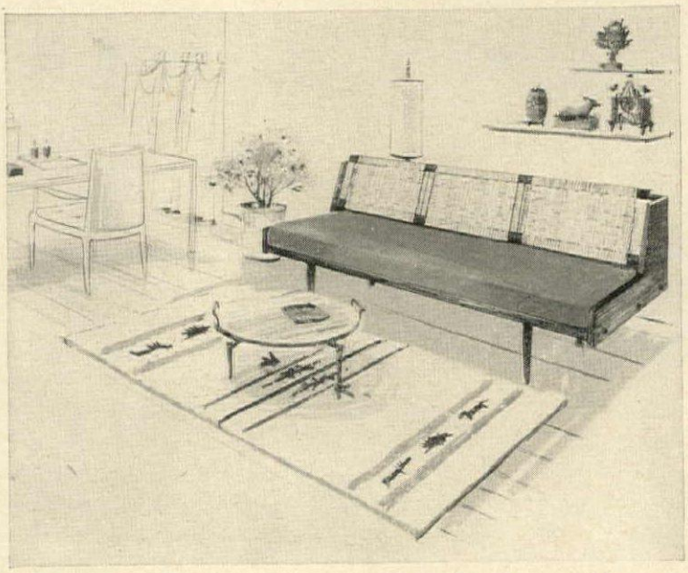
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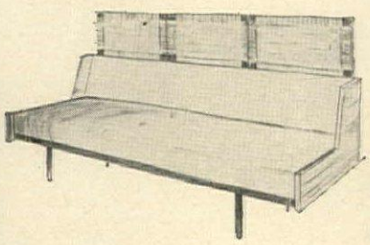
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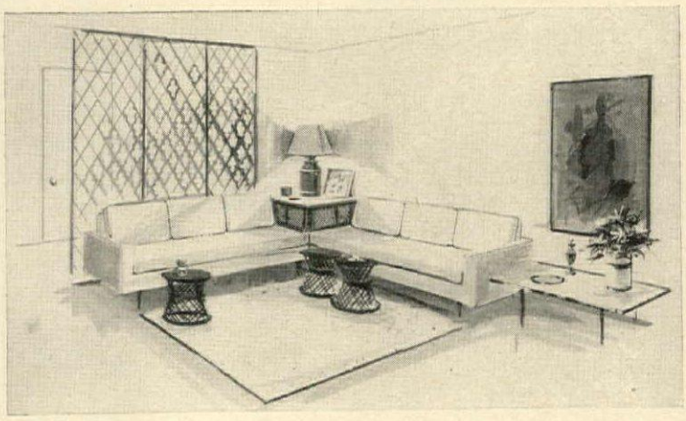
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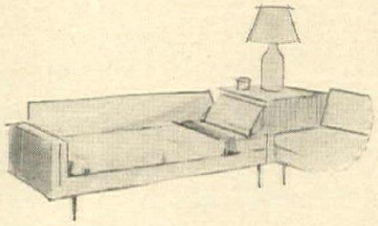
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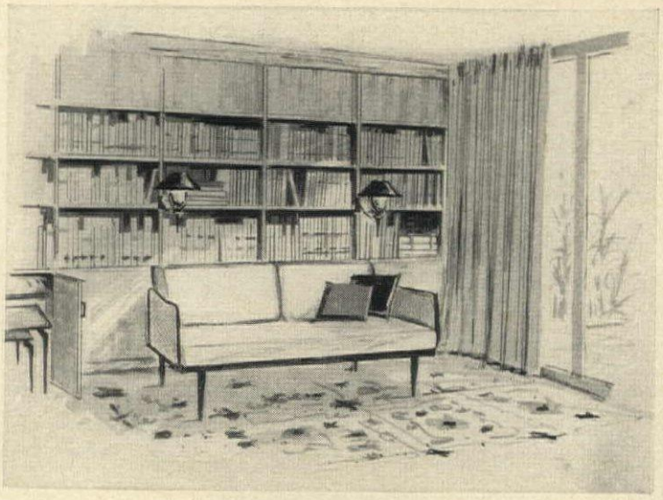


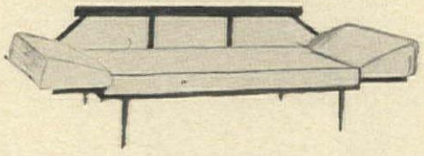
Sleek Danish sofa by Hans Wegner provides round-the-clock comfort in a contemporary living room or study. Hinged back rest flips down by day to provide concealed storage for blankets, lifts at night to add extra inches for a single bed. In teak and cane with rubberized hair mattress. 78″ long. $420. Frederik Lunning.



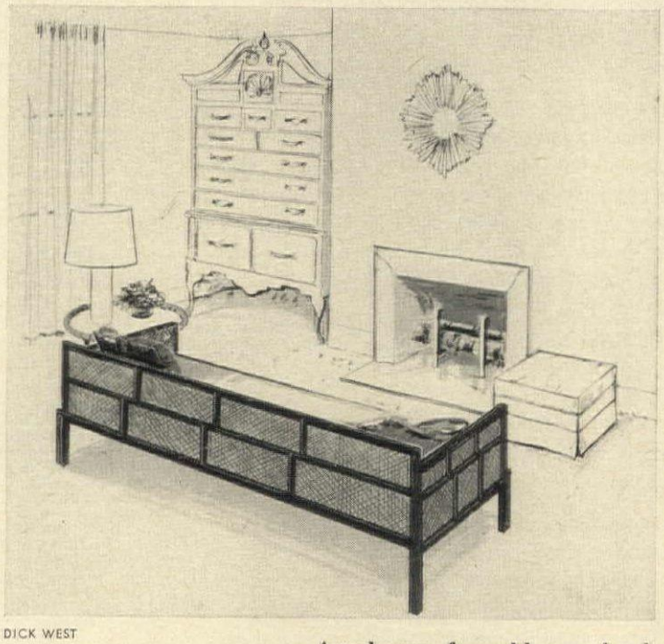


A pair of single-arm sofas, placed at right angles to each other in conversation grouping, is especially effective in coping with the dimensions of a long, narrow room. Sofas come with left or right arms, reversible single foam rubber mattresses, loose back pillows, and brass or wooden legs. Well-chosen accomplices in the above arrangement: a filigree screen that squares off area and adds privacy, a chest to store bed linens. 78″ long. $385 each. Selig.





A cane-back settee that becomes a full length lounge when arms are lowered is a trim addition to a small area like this library. It caters to the inveterate cat napper, will sleep an occasional overnight guest. The sofa is framed in Bangkok teak with cane paneling. Wedge-shaped back cushions are handy head and foot rests for sleeper; both back and seat cushions have spring construction with a covering of foam rubber. To keep either end of sofa clear, you might back it up with shelves, hang wall lamps and use folding trays for snacks. 65″ settee opens to 89″ length. $255. John Stuart.



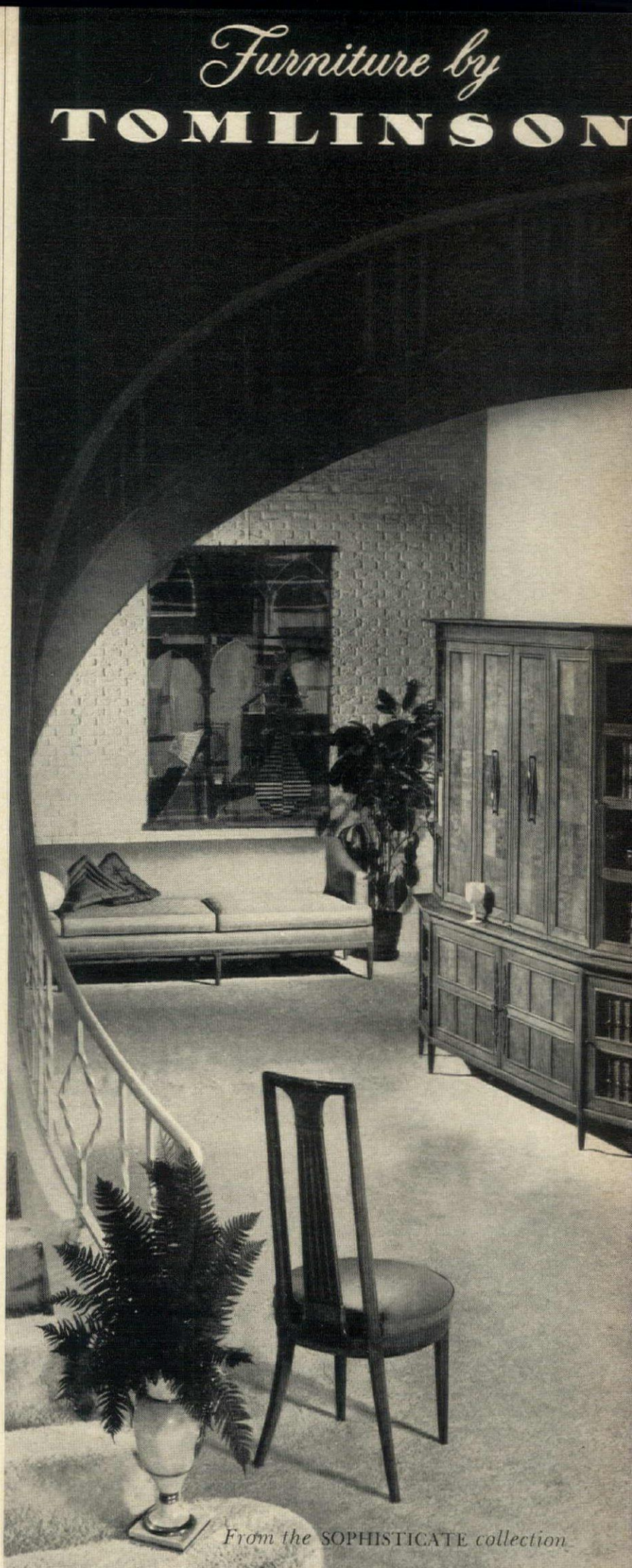
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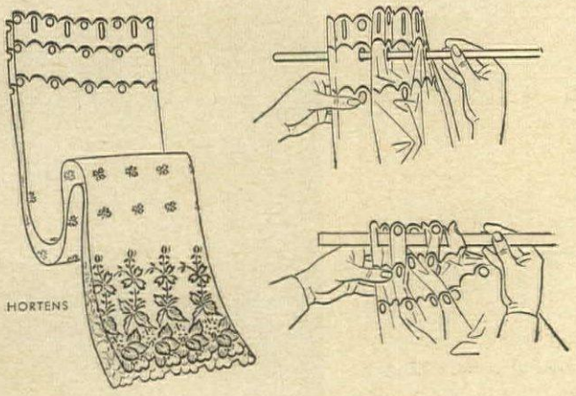
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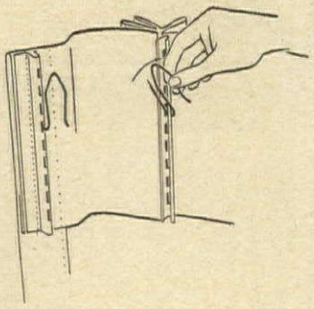
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NOTES FOR THE HOSTESS

BY DIANA BRYAN

For a long time, I've been building up a little list—a list of house presents I'd much rather receive than more hanger sachets, cute casseroles and odd bridge sets. This Christmas I'm going to try doing as I would be done by and use my own list as a guide for choosing presents for the people who have entertained *us* during the year.

First item on my list, for instance, is a gargantuan jar of peppercorns—so nice to have on hand if you own, as we do, almost enough pepper grinders to provide individuals for everyone.

Something I'd never splurge on myself but would love to receive: a terrine of real pâté de fois gras.

I never have enough stamps. A couple of dollars' worth would be welcome anytime.

We'd never turn up our noses at tennis balls either, particularly as we seem to lob them into the poison ivy with dull regularity.

Of course, as we are semi-rural, I would adore fancy bulbs, an extravagance in which I seldom indulge. Those rare lilies, special iris and hybrid daffodils—they would be a perennial springtime thank-you letter for years to come.

One of the most memorable house presents I ever got was a microcosm of an herb garden: four healthy perennials and a season's worth of annual seedlings. The rosemary, tarragon and chives still bloom by my kitchen door. The basil and parsley were dried and enjoyed for months.

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Having a mind like a sieve I sometimes forget to put down an engagement in our date book, so I bless the hostess who has the wisdom to send me a few days in advance of a party a reminder note: "We are expecting you on Saturday for cocktails . . ."

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Is there anything more irritating than having a stack of glasses become wedged together? Dangerous and expensive, too. *Mirabile dictu*, the Italians are now making stackable glasses that can't stick together—their cupped-in shape prevents it. Wonderful space savers for a small bar pantry, the glasses come in all sizes, I hear, and in a range of jewel colors that may be mixed or matched.

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Can't honestly say I need them, but I'm determined to have a set of at least six of those tomato bakers I saw in town yesterday—



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I can see them now, filled with baked crab and avocado for a luncheon. Might even dramatize them with a table decoration of real tomatoes, banked asymmetrically around an over-sized zucchini, with a few green peppers and flat leaves tucked in and about—and all laid on a wooden tray.

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Everything about Sally Wharton's dinner party last week was pretty—from canapés to centerpiece. The decorations had an Undine air, green and silvery, serene and conducive to relaxed conversation and quiet appreciation of the excellent food.

In lieu of a tablecloth, Sally used two Thai silk *sabai*, or shawls, of a gleaming olive green banded at each end with discreet silver thread-work. (She swears she's going to wear them herself to the next party she goes to!)

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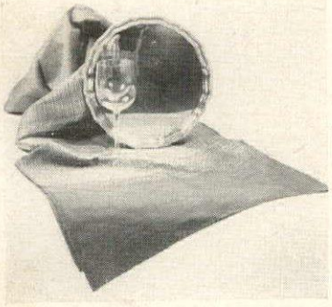
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It was a wise idea of hers, elegant too, to keep her silver service plates permanently in place, rather like spectacular doilies, for they proved good protection for the silk. The centerpiece was another successful bit of imaginative turn-about, all done with mirrors, literally. In the middle of the table she had laid an oval Italian mirror. The enameled wrought-iron frame was a garland of antique green leaves and white flowers, inspired by Botticelli's "Primavera." Squat white candles covered the surface of the mirror, and the twinkling flames and their reflections were quite effective. The mirror came from Bergdorf Goodman, although it looked as if it had been snatched right out of a Tuscan garden. Sally admits that when her prize is not doing banqueting service it goes back into its tiltable stand on the guest room dressing table.



THAI SHAWL, SILVER PLACE PLATE

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Caramelized sugar cubes add an interestingly sharp taste to after-dinner coffee—just melt and glaze them slightly in a frying pan and store in a tin. It's a trick I learned from a Chilean friend.

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We always look forward to Aunt Alice's buffet-after-the-game during the Thanksgiving holidays, for she serves her cold leftover turkey with a delicious sauce of apricot or peach jam tempered with a suitable amount of brandy.

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A surprising switch of ingredients, when well done, often raises a commonplace dish to a gourmet level or an everyday object to a thing of beauty. Proof of this pudding are the china cups with wooden saucers I saw at Bloomingdale's, not gimmicky but sensible and very good looking. The tall, Irish-type coffee cups are a rich, deep green, white-lined and set solidly on saucers of dark Japanese cedar, that interesting, ripple-grained wood so dear to Japanese frog carvers. An excellent size for a large demitasse, they also come in a good faded blue or a soft carnelian.



WOODEN SAUCER WITH CHINA CUP

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It's certainly disconcerting to have your vis-à-vis dinner partner almost obscured by an overly lush floral display. But when it's your turn to fix the flowers, it's not always easy to make an exciting arrangement, yet cut it down to size. I think I've found the answer in those practical, classically pretty French trough vases called *rivières*. They look right on either the simplest or the finest dinner table, and they're marvelous for creating a luxurious effect without being overpowering.

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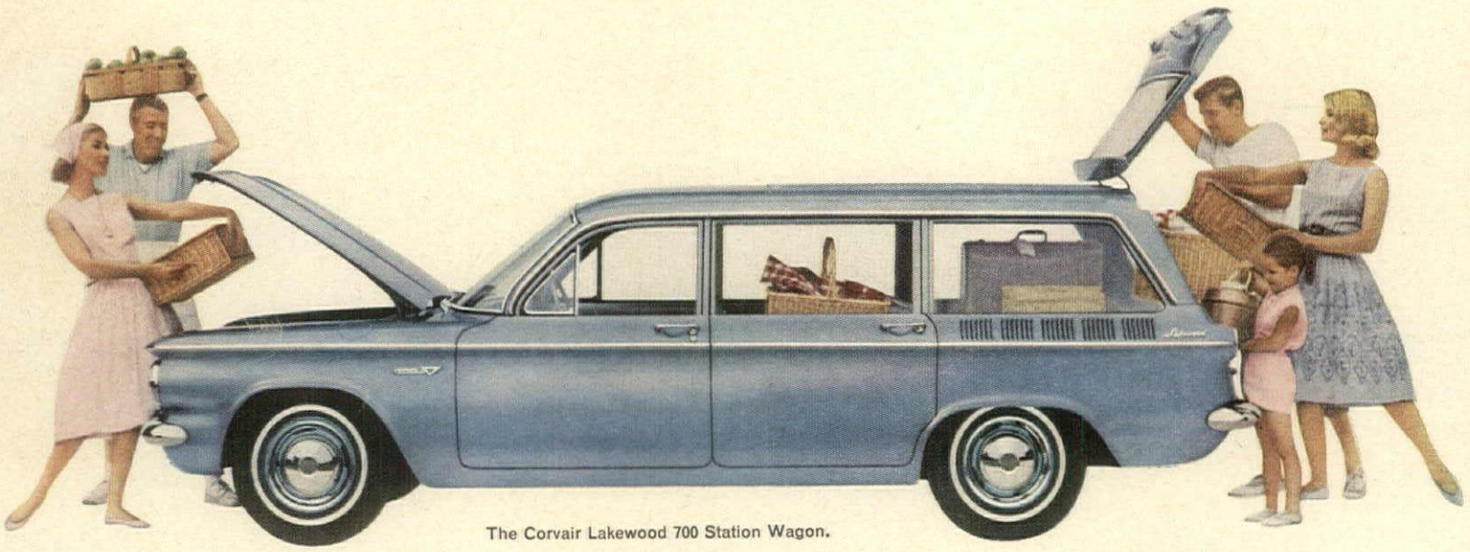
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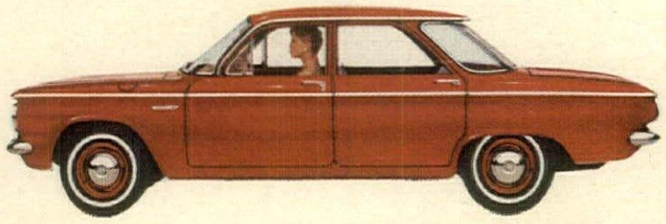
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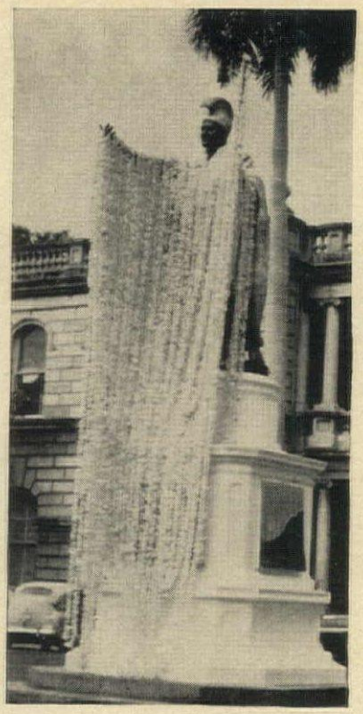


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Going places, finding things in HAWAII

BY JEROME DENNER



To honor his birthday, the huge statue of the warrior king Kamehameha in Honolulu is decked with enormous yellow leis.

EDITOR'S NOTE: When vacation time comes for Jerome Denner, H&G production manager, he turns inevitably into a non-stop tourist-photographer. Having spent several holidays lugging his camera through the byways of Europe, he decided this year to focus on our newest and farthest west state. Here is his report, in words and pictures, of things he saw which might interest H&G readers.

If you go to Hawaii and see only Waikiki Beach, you will return to the mainland beautifully tanned, wonderfully rested or utterly exhausted (depending on how you like to spend your vacation) and loaded down with bowls carved of monkeypod wood and beads made from tropical seeds for your friends at home. But you will no more have seen our fiftieth state than if you went to Atlantic City to see New Jersey. For each of the eight islands which make up the Hawaiian chain has its own special atmosphere. When I visited four of them a few months ago, however, I went to Waikiki first, as everyone does. Honolulu, on the island of Oahu, is where the planes arrive (the liners, too) and from the Honolulu airport you are taken by limousine directly to your Waikiki Beach hotel. And I ended my visit at Waikiki because, after a stretch of sightseeing and gaping at the panoramas of sea and mountain, it is pleasant to spend a few days in the luxurious atmosphere of this lush tropical resort, basking in the sun, swimming and falling off surfboards in the warm Pacific, sampling the cuisine in the numerous, opulent and varied restaurants, and spending what is left of your traveler's checks on merchandise from Hawaii, the South Pacific Islands and the Orient.

In between these two Waikiki stopovers I went to Kauai, Maui and the island from which the whole chain derives its name, Hawaii.

Muumuus and Aloha shirts

Once I had settled in my room, opened the glass doors that led to my own private lanai, stared at the really blue Pacific, the palm trees and the sun worshippers stretched languidly on the beach, I set out to explore Waikiki and the city of Honolulu—and was greeted by some pleasant surprises.

First, I discovered that in our fiftieth state *everyone* dresses casually and comfortably. A tie or suit coat is seldom required in even the fanciest restaurants. Some idea of the generally relaxed atmosphere can be got from the sign on the escalators at the $5,000,000 Sears department store in the Ala Moana shopping center: "Please do not use the escalators unless you are wearing shoes."

Sears has good reason for the signs. Many people do go shopping barefoot, though all the tourists and most natives wear Japanese sandals called *zoris* which are usually rubber soled and have two straps that fit between your large and second toes.

The women, natives and tourists alike, wear *muumuus*, and the men, Aloha shirts. For the *malihini*, which is what a newcomer to the islands is called, the *muumuu* is a version of the old-fashioned Mother Hubbard and is, for that matter, a not too distant relative of the sack dress. When the missionaries arrived in Hawaii in 1820 they found the natives walking around in innocence and very little else. The missionaries' wives hastily draped them in long, shapeless dresses made from the materials which they had brought along and so created the *muumuu* and

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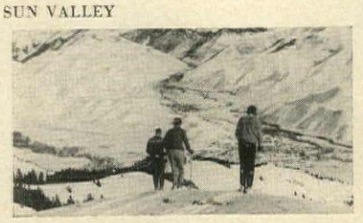
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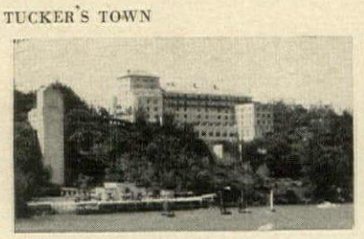
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the *holoku*. The *muumuu* is round at the shoulders, drops full, usually to ankle length. The *holoku* is fitted, and it has an ample train and is worn for more formal occasions. Both are made in countless fabrics and patterns and can be bought in almost any store on Kalakaua Avenue, Waikiki's main shopping street, or in the beachside hotels.

The Aloha shirt, of course, is simply a man's sport shirt, usually of very loud pattern and brilliant colors, worn outside the trousers. For the timid male, some stores have toned-down adaptations of these shirts which can be worn on the mainland.

My second discovery was that in Honolulu the pedestrian need *not* beware. After traveling in Europe and on the U. S. mainland, I was so used to dodging cars, stepping gingerly from curb to curb, that I automatically shied from venturing into the busy Waikiki traffic. Much to my amazement, the cars came to a stop as I started to cross the streets. There are very few traffic lights in Hawaii and they are scarcely needed. As long as the pedestrian is crossing at a corner, he need not, theoretically, look to left or right. I would not recommend such extreme nonchalance, however, since tourists with hired cars do not always recognize the walker's prerogatives.

My third surprise was the geniality and cordiality of everyone I met. It is significant that the office of travel information is called the Hawaii Visitors Bureau. On the islands, they try to avoid using the word "tourist" saying they have no tourists, only visitors, and all are welcome. This is a far cry from the reception you get in almost any European capital, or, for that matter, in most of our mainland cities.

Variations on an old theme

A friend of mine at the Hawaii Visitors Bureau suggested that before I started to explore the islands, I go to the Bishop Museum in Honolulu and get some idea of their background. The Bishop is a fascinating ethnological museum and, by wandering through its rooms, you easily—and painlessly—learn all about the origins of the islands, the people that came to inhabit them, how they lived, what they ate, wore and used. You can also see a full-scale reproduction of an early Hawaiian house which is almost tent-shaped. When you visit the various islands, it is interesting to see how often this same A-frame shows up in the most modern architecture.



Baskets, pocketbooks, and place mats are woven in many patterns from the leaves of the pandanus tree. This is the famous Hawaiian Lauhala ware.

As I drove through the residential sections of Honolulu, high in the mountains, or close to the sea beyond the defunct crater, Diamond Head, I came across many large, modern houses based on the A-frame. When I went to one of Waikiki's most famous restaurants, the Canlis Charcoal Broiler on Kalakaua Avenue, I found not only that the building itself was A-shaped, but also that the interior had been decorated with adaptations of many of the old Polynesian designs. Another delightful restaurant, The Willows on Hausten Street in Honolulu, is decorated with many of the same materials used in the house in the museum, such as the colored glass balls (that stand in for the gourds in which the natives stored food) tied to the ceiling in nets. And the gardens at The Willows display most of the tropical plants and flowers of the islands.

It is also fun to relate the ancient arts and crafts that you see in the museum to the merchandise in the stores. The old crafts have just about died out—tapa cloth, for instance, is no longer made in Hawaii—but many of the modern designers and craftsmen have taken the ancient patterns and motifs and adapted them in modern fabrics, ceramics and jewelry. In some stores you can still find small samples of real tapa cloth made from the bark of the paper mulberry tree, but it is imported from Samoa, Fiji or other South Sea islands and is not of much use except as a souvenir.



Examples of modern handicrafts making use of ancient Hawaiian designs and woods of the monkeypod and Koa trees.

One of the best places to see the transition from ancient to modern design is the Wood Rose Shop, for its genial owner, Ian Cameron, seems delighted to point out the adaptations. With the help of his designer "Lokena" (his other name is Don Dayton but he prefers to use the Hawaiian name) Mr. Cameron has stocked his store with replicas of ancient Hawaiian utensils and other items decorated with authentic Hawaiian design motifs. For example, he has taken the stone bowls in which the natives pound their poi and is selling them as serving dishes for nuts, candy or cocktail snacks. He also has linen napkins and place mat sets decorated with ancient tapa cloth patterns or the designs found on the petroglyphs (stone carvings) of the islands. A set of four place settings sells for about $7.

In the good jewelry stores I saw lovely replicas, carved out of ivory, of many of the flowers and plants I had seen exhibited at the museum and the botanical gardens in Honolulu: torch ginger, pikake, star jasmine, anthurium, hibiscus, bird-of-paradise. These are made into earrings, necklaces, bracelets and range from $3 for earrings to $35 for a bracelet or choker.

Ideas from a luau

Early in my stay at Waikiki I went, as every tourist does, to a *luau*. These are staged by several of the hotels for the benefit of visitors and cost from $8 to $12.50 per person. The menu is standard: roast pig, chicken, Hawaiian spinach, raw salmon salad, poi, skewered beef and Hawaiian fruits. And the party includes a show consisting of native music and hula dancers, both Hawaiian and Tahitian. (The Hawaiian hula is done mostly with the hands to plaintive music; the Tahitian hula is done with the hips to the pounding of drums.) What interested me most was the way the table was set and decorated.

We ate at long tables covered with paper which was printed with brown designs to look like tapa cloth and gave the whole setting a Polynesian effect. (Rolls of this paper can be bought very inexpensively and would make a handsome gift wrapping.)

The centerpieces were mounds of little orchids. Spaced along the tables were whole pineapples that had been scooped out, the fruit cut lengthwise and put back in the shell, and the top replaced. Around the tops were little *leis* of white and yellow plumeria, a favorite flower of Oahu and one

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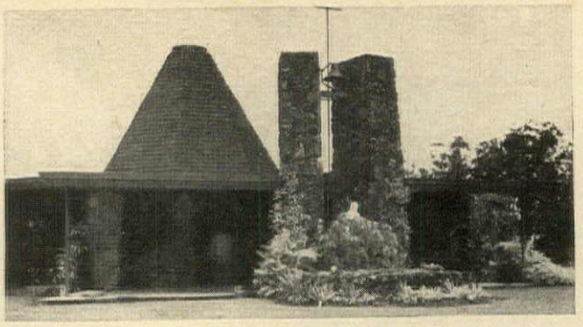
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On Kauai, St. Silvester's Church has A-frame roof, modern design

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from which many *leis* are made.

The food was served in leaf-shaped bowls made out of monkeypod wood and divided into three sections. The wood is treated so that both hot and cold foods can be served in the same dishes, and they can be immersed in water without harm. They are easily cleaned, unbreakable, and certainly more gala than the paper or plastic plates we usually use at outdoor parties at home.

These monkeypod bowls, carved in all shapes and sizes, are available in many stores throughout Waikiki, but you can get a real bargain by going to the shop located in the Oahu prison and buying the works of the inmates. Many of their monkeypod items are priced considerably lower than similar pieces in Waikiki, and to add "culture" to your buying trip, there is a conducted tour through the prison.

I was lucky enough to be in Honolulu on King Kamehameha Day, a national holiday on the islands. King Kamehameha—known as King Kam, for short—was the great warrior king who conquered all the islands and unified them, creating Hawaii as we now know it. On his birthday, his statue opposite Iolani Palace in Honolulu is draped with dozens of huge yellow floral *leis* extending from his neck to his feet. There is a parade, and each island is represented by a princess on horseback and a float on which a small Hawaiian band and hula dancers perform the traditional dances of their island.

After the parade, I walked around Honolulu browsing through the numerous stores which carry oriental merchandise. They range from small, crowded little shops to the spacious, opulent department store Shirokiya where everything from delightful little wooden dolls, clothing, food, candy, art supplies, dishes, pearls and furniture to a full-scale prefabricated authentic Japanese teahouse is lovingly displayed. The teahouse, incidentally, may be shipped to anywhere in the United States, can be assembled easily by an amateur, and costs in the neighborhood of $5000.

Kauai, the garden island

I have always had a built-in prejudice against guided tours, but on the various Hawaiian islands they are handled so efficiently and painlessly that joining a tour is by far the best way to see each island thoroughly and quickly if your time is limited, as mine was. Although you travel alone, you are met at the airports by experienced guides who also act as your chauffeurs. Many of these guides make extra money by performing as entertainers in the various island hotels at night, so, as you drive along, they are likely to burst into song, singing the beautiful island melodies which may have seemed a little saccharine and trite on the mainland but become very poignant in their native country.



The interior of St. Benedict's Church in Kailua, Kona, was painted by Father John Read who used Hawaiian flowers and inscriptions to adorn the pillars and the ceiling.

You tour each island in a comfortable limousine seating about eight people, and the guide, who is thoroughly trained for his job, points out not only all of the places of interest, but also the various flowers, trees and plants.

My first experience with these tours was on Kauai, which is the northernmost island of the chain. The natives pronounce this to rhyme with Hawaii, but smile tolerantly if you say "cow-eye." Each island has a nickname, and Kauai is the "Garden Island," because of the immense range of foliage and flowers that the varied tropical climate produces.

To me, Kauai was also the loveliest of the islands. It was everything that years of exposure to Dorothy Lamour movies had led me to expect of a tropical isle. Kauai was, in fact, the island on which *South Pacific* was filmed, and all the various backgrounds were pointed out by our guide.



The Mormon Temple at Laie, Oahu, is approached by ascending paths, flanking four large pools of water.

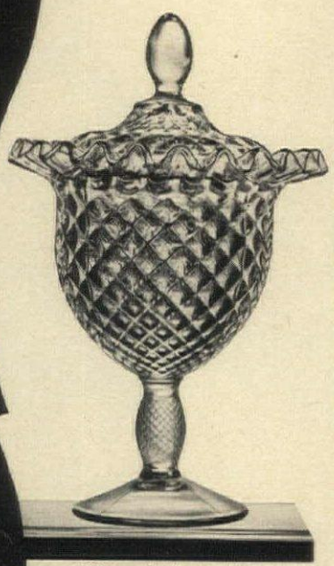
The highlight of our tour of Kauai was the trip to the Fern Grotto. We went by boat up the Wailua River, the only navigable fresh waterway on the islands. The banks on both sides of the river were lined with hau trees, a member of the hibiscus family, their yellow flowers blazing in the sun. Once at our destination, a stone path led through a hau forest upward to the grotto.

Maidenhair ferns, hundreds of them, hang from the top of the grotto, and when you stand within the cavern entrance and look out past gleaming ferns and down into the thick forest, it is a remarkable sight. What made the moment unforgettable, however, was that three of our guides, standing about a quarter of the way down the path, sang the beautiful, plaintive Hawaiian Wedding Song, *Ke Kali Nei Au*, accompanying themselves on guitar and ukulele. The acoustics were such that the voices came floating up to us, clear and true. The result should have been corny but it was not. We stood listening in silence, and, although I have heard this beautiful melody performed many times since, it has never sounded so

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lovely or so perfectly in rapport with its surroundings. There is a recording of it made by these same Gray Line guides, which I recommend highly.

On our way to the Waimea Canyon, "The Grand Canyon of the Pacific," we stopped off near the little town of Poipu to see Hector and Sandie Moir's fascinating garden which is made up entirely of cacti and succulents.

The Moirs' 6½-acre garden is located in an area where tropical Hawaiian flowers will not prosper because the sun beats down continuously and there is very little rain. Amid beautiful natural landscaping of lava rock they have planted over 2500 varieties of cacti and succulents from all parts of the world. Among the many wonders of this garden are the largest collection of African aloes in the world, euphorbias reaching a height of 30 feet, one tree cereus weighing approximately 3 tons. In large metal pots they found on the islands (pots like those in which cartoon cannibals cook missionaries) the Moirs have planted water-lily gardens.

After a day of such sightseeing, I would sit in the lounge of the Kauai Inn, stare out over the lovely gardens to the mountains looming everywhere, and sip one of my favorite Hawaiian drinks, "The Sleeping Giant" named after a nearby mountain which really does resemble a huge man lying on his back. The Sleeping Giant is an exotic variation of the daiquiri, as I found when I coaxed the recipe out of the charming Japanese waitress. I thought it might be a good drink to serve back home as a change from the ubiquitous martini or gin-and-tonic. Here are the ingredients:

SLEEPING GIANT

5 chunks pineapple, fresh or frozen
1 jigger light rum
1 jigger gold rum
½ jigger syrup (or its equivalent in granulated sugar)
½ jigger lemon juice
1 cup crushed ice

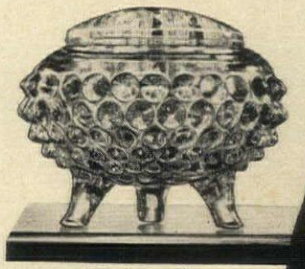
Put everything in an electric blender and blend well. Pour into a large glass—a brandy snifter is most spectacular—and garnish with a cherry, a sprig of mint, and a large stick of fresh pineapple cut from the length of the fruit.

On my last evening on Kauai I went to the Coco Palms Hotel to see the ceremony of the lighting of the torches. Every evening there, a Hawaiian boy, dressed only in a red sarong, blows a weird, traditional call on a conch shell to the four points of the compass. Then he races around with a lighted torch, swinging it in circles, and lights seventy-five

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The fine art of giving

Back of the gift stands the giving," wrote a Victorian poet. For the weeks to come, weeks busy with giving parties, giving gifts, giving a hand to good causes, his statement brings up a question: What is giving—or what should it be? H&G believes that true giving is a fine art—whether you are giving tangible gifts or the warmth of your hospitality, an oriental rug or a roll of stamps, a luncheon for four or a housewarming for four hundred. Like any art, giving demands an active imagination, an adventurous switch of viewpoint from your own familiar reactions to the differently motivated responses of your guests, your family, your friends. Which, for instance, would be more enjoyable for your dinner guests: A cocktail or a glass of spiked champagne? To serve themselves in the kitchen (minus traffic jam) or to abide with the vagaries of a dilatory waitress? Which would bring more joy to your child's godmother: An alabaster butterfly or the makings of a hundred cups of fine tea? An eagerness to explore all the possibilities is essential to any art, and to guide your explorations in giving, a good part of this issue is devoted. The reward? Part of it, naturally, is the light in others' eyes that proves you have hit the mark. Some indication of delight is what every artist yearns for. Yet the real reward comes from the excitement, the adventure, the exercise of the art itself. H&G maintains that, above all, giving should be fun.

DE MORGOLI

The Bountiful Buffet

FOUR CASE HISTORIES

Small wonder that the buffet party remains America's favorite form of holiday hospitality, for nothing so well expresses a spirit of openhanded informality. Based on individual preference and taste rather than hard-and-fast rules, the buffet adapts to any kind of space or pattern of living, encourages unconventional combinations of table covers and napkins, accessories and equipment, permits interesting mixtures of china and glass (with the sole proviso that they be akin in shape and scale so as to appear planned, not haphazard). Contrary to the ham-and-turkey school, a buffet demands an imaginative and original menu, for food is its raison d'être. The menu should be planned so that it can be mainly prepared in advance (see H&G's Buffet Cook Book, page 209) and easily served by the guests themselves or with the aid of one helper, whichever suits the size of the party and the space at hand. Generally speaking, large parties in large space are speeded by self-service, smaller groups in limited quarters by having one or more of the courses served at tables. On the following pages are four different approaches to the buffet which will help you to work out your own plan of action.

CASE HISTORY #1

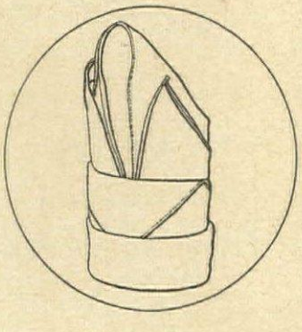
A RAINBOW OF TABLES

enlivens a big buffet

For introducing gaiety and intimacy to a large or austere room, nothing succeeds like color. When Princess Helena Gourielli recruits her spacious upstairs gallery with its white bamboo walls, silk draperies and arresting collection of modern art for grand-scale parties, she decks small tables with centerpieces and felt cloths as brilliant and bold as the pictures themselves. (Similar tactics would apply for holiday parties given in the impersonal atmosphere of a country club or hotel where a speedy, inexpensive transformation is called for. Tarlatan could also be used for cloths, perhaps in a range of pale to deep shades of one color.) For further contrast, Princess Gourielli varies the china and glass to accent the tables, though, for harmony's sake, the shapes are the same. So that guests may have the pleasant option of eating when they please, the simple midnight supper, *right* and *opposite page*, is designed for self-service. The two courses—entrée and salad, dessert and coffee—are set out on serving tables at opposite ends of the room to eliminate bottlenecks and allow used plates to be stacked and removed from the first table while guests help themselves from the second. For this type of party serving pieces large enough to hold large quantities are invaluable (here, a 52-inch long electric hot tray for the lobster strudel, silver urn for coffee). Recipes for this midnight supper are in H&G's Buffet Cook Book, page 209.



Frozen soufflés, samovar of coffee stand by on second serving table



Stately table touch: napkin folded like bishop's miter.

On a bevy of tables: a bouquet of bold colors in cloths, goblets, candle centerpieces ringed with cups of carnations and artfully folded napkins (for instructions in folding, write H&G Reader Service). Two patterns of china—Syracuse "Regent" and "Royal Court"—team with Imperial "Provincial" and "Hoffman House" goblets, Celsa "Trenza" sterling flatware.

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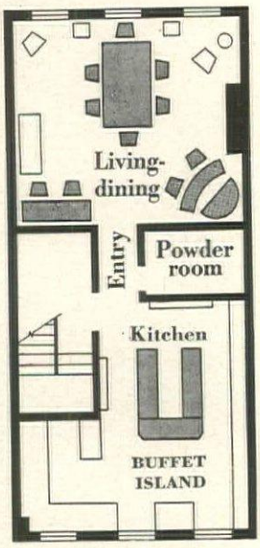
Buffet (in color on our cover) offers main course of curry with beer or champagne.

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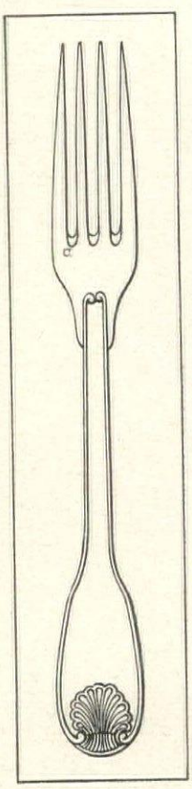
A BUFFET ISLAND

makes an asset of limited space

One inspiration can be the genesis of a string of successful parties. James A. Beard's entertaining is based on a unique idea which he and designer Agnes Crowther devised while remodeling his compact New York City house—a Formica countertop which converts the three-sided cooking island into a buffet serving center. As guests are irresistibly drawn to the delightful kitchen (see page 208), the island has become the hub of cocktail parties and the place where the main course of dinner is set out buffet-style. (Mr. Beard's strategy for small space is to serve first and last courses in the living-dining room, let his guests help themselves to the entrée.) By adroit furniture rearrangements, six are seated at the dining table, *opposite page*, four on sofa and chairs at a curved wine table, *below*, and two at the writing table, *right*. Mr. Beard's habit of selecting one set from his china collection for each course of a meal also makes his dinners memorable. For the curry buffet on our cover (for recipes see Buffet Cook Book, page 209) china is suited to menu and decorations: faïence fish plates for smoked salmon, vine-leaf pattern china for the curry, Chinese porcelain for dessert. Vermeil forks and spoons, fruit knives and forks appear at dessert but this wine connoisseur uses only one type of glass—clear crystal—throughout the entire meal.



Partnership of living-dining room and kitchen gives diners clear route from tables to kitchen (shown on page 208) and around island where main course of buffet is set.





Writing table set for two in corner supplements dining table in foreground and wine table to left.



Dessert (cheesecake topped with frosted grapes served from tiny table) introduces vermeil version of silver pattern, *above*, Chinese plates.

Fetchingly posed with ribbon swag, grape clusters and wheat sheaves, 18th-century French figures become part of the party setting (you might adapt this idea to a mirror, fireplace or any major decorative feature of a room). Semicircles of grapes, wheat, acorns and candles on each table are links with buffet decorations. Menu card on dining table spells out what is to follow the smoked salmon course. All-purpose wine glasses hold split of champagne or beer.

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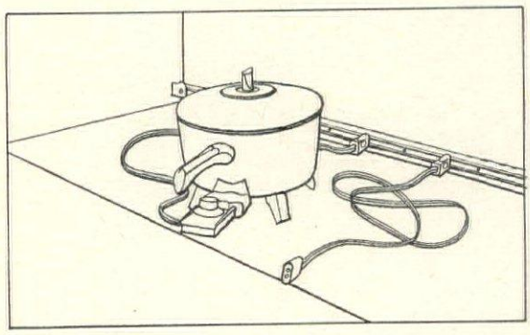


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CASE HISTORY #3

COOK-AND-SERVE WALL an innovation for buffets

With much of today's entertaining taking place in the family room, an on-the-spot cooking center relieves the kitchen of some of the load and provides an incentive for younger members of the family to play host. In planning a typical teen-age holiday get-together, H&G designed the all-electric party wall, *opposite*, for cook-and-serve buffets in a family room (it could also be adapted to a terrace or second kitchen). We started with ready-made wall supports, shelves and base cabinets with adjustable interior storage for china, glass and linens. Then we built a backless, drop-shelf, Formica-lined cabinet deep and high enough to accommodate standard appliances such as an electric skillet, rotisserie, coffee maker and attached the cabinet to the supports at waist-height so the drop-shelf could be both work and serving counter. Two heavy-duty, plug-in strips installed on the wall behind (see sketch, *right*) provide one circuit for the rotisserie, another for appliances that use less current. In this small but well-organized space we turned out a Mexican buffet menu hearty enough to satisfy the keenest of after-ski appetites: guacamole on lettuce leaves, made-to-order tacos (tortillas filled with a spicy meat mixture and sautéed in the skillet) and rotisserie-barbecued spareribs. A cocktail bench, *below*, turns serving table for dessert course.



Two plug-in strips on wall behind backless cooking cabinets provide separate circuits for appliances.



White drop-shelf front of cooking cabinet closes to conceal practical side, integrates it with the blue-doored base cabinets and the open book shelves.



Cocktail bench fills in as serving table to hold soft drinks in an ice-filled salad bowl, dessert of cream cheese, fruit paste wedges, cups.

Strikingly simple, the table setting relies for its effect on strong colors and shapes. Red-lacquered harvest table and two sets of vinyl place mats (blue ovals superimposed on white rectangles) frame flower-wreathed melamine plates, Mexican glass. Vegetables in-the-rough are an appropriate centerpiece. Oneida Premier melamine "Bright Morning" plates. Heirloom "Lasting Spring" sterling silver flatware. Stotter vinyl place mats. Furniture by Founders.

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CASE HISTORY #4

A TWO-TIERED SERVER

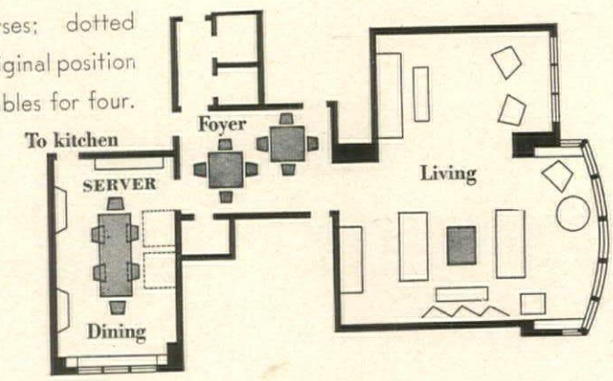
doubles your buffet surface

In the interests of entertaining, the stratagems of the past often bear examination. A case in point is the two-tier serving table of eighteenth-century court functions. Reinterpreted in terms of a narrow console table topped with a removable, long steel trivet, this server proves the perfect solution for buffet parties in Myra Waldo's apartment, designed by Marjorie Borradaile Helsel. Set against the dining room wall between the foyer and the door to the kitchen, the table gives a double amount of serving space and is neatly situated for self-service when the dining room and marble-floored foyer are teamed for large buffet parties. (Walls covered in identical pale gold silk wallpaper tie the two areas together.) In lieu of appetite-quelling cocktail foods, Miss Waldo prefers to have a light first course in the living room (with cognac-spiked champagne if a fine wine is to accompany entrée), giving the maid time to move small tables from dining room to foyer and take from the closet the comfortably padded black leather and brass folding chairs used for extra seating. After the main course, dessert is brought in and served at the tables. The diners then go back to the living room for after-dinner coffee, liqueurs and conversation while the foyer is returned to normal.



Card tables in dining room, each set for four, are moved to foyer while guests are in living room. Marble-topped dining table, here set for six, can seat eight with ease.

Gray areas show table arrangement for the first and following courses; dotted squares mark original position of small card tables for four.



Lustrous Siamese silk plaid stoles which substitute for place mats on dining table, bronze-and-crystal bowls of candied fruits establish color scheme for foyer tables: green cloths striped with broad ribbons in two shades of pink, pink napkins, crystal candlesticks wreathed with candied grapes. Serving table holds duck with pineapple; later, dessert, gâteau St. Honoré. Lenox "Romance" china, Kosta "Brigadoon" glassware, Lunt "Mignonette" sterling flatware.



First course of marinated shrimp served with champagne in living room can be started while waiting for late-comers, eliminating extra rounds of cocktails.

For more on buffet entertaining, see page 242
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STARTING HERE: A 12-PAGE PARADE OF CHRISTMAS GIFTS

The joy of giving



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Half the fun of Christmas is getting ready for it. And half the fun of Christmas Day is knowing you have managed to ferret out the perfect gift for everyone you love. But you'll find perfection faster if you go about your search with a twinkle in your eye and a light heart. Christmas shopping ought to be like a festive masquerade. For, since your gifts are destined for people whose tastes and interests may be a far cry from yours, you need to imagine yourself in their boots, to see things through their eyes, before you can spot perfection in *their* language. Your find might turn out to be something simple: a little wicker holder to segregate a supply of fresh envelopes from the clutter on a young girl's desk. It might be luxurious: a handsome zebra rug to warm a man's feet while he sits reading in his study. Or, it might be an unexpected gift: a miniature, lightweight telephone for someone who unconsciously delights in long conversations while curled up in bed.

We all know that the price of a gift takes second place to its meaning, but sometimes we forget that a useless, trivial offering with a small price tag smacks just as much of commercialism as an ostentatious luxury. Yet, nothing is too modest or too costly when it reflects imaginative understanding on the part of the giver. Since the perfect gift expresses your wholehearted acceptance of another's tastes and desires, it can establish more than anything else the mood of warmth and love that is the essence of Christmas.

Starting here H&G proffers a parade of gifts (including, on page 180, our own group of specially selected imports) to make it easy to pursue your search at leisure instead of having to make panic decisions in a crowded store. Among our discoveries are gifts to delight people of diverse interests and ages—gifts to be handed lovingly from wife to husband, brother to sister, grandmother to grandson, gifts for special friends and office acquaintances. Many of these selections have prices that will be happily kind to your budget. Each one can have a meaning far beyond its price.



GIFTS TO ENCHANT SPECIAL PEOPLE OF ALL AGES

An array of enticing surprises to please children and grown-ups of many persuasions: ***Sad-faced clown*** (and his brother: ***jolly soldier*** on right) of painted cardboard with movable arms and legs. 14″ tall. East House. $5.75 each. In the clown's right hand: Brilliant ***pink felt star*** to dangle from a Christmas tree branch or over a door. 4¾″ diam. Bloomingdale's. $1.50. Between clown and soldier: Shiny yellow ***tôle mailbox*** topped with a brass horn. (Envelope slot on front can be decorated with owner's name for additional $10.) 15″ high, 13″ wide. Henri Bendel. $75. The clown's footrest: ***Kaleidoscope*** brightly covered with triangle-patterned paper to give children or grown-ups absorbing hours of wondrous entertainment. 9½″ long. Stark Valla. $3.50. The soldier's footrest: ***Brass boot*** to fill with vivid flowers or use as a shining accent. 5″ high. Products of India. $37 a pair. To right of boot: Slender ***white porcelain bottles*** from Japan for oil (11¾″ high) and vinegar (9″). Stuart Becker Inc. $4.95 a pair. In front of clown: Shapely ***hour glass*** of blue and green Venini glass. 8″ high. The Unicorn. $14. ***Cigarette box*** of French china with mat black glaze embellished with gold French Empire design. 4½″ high, 3½″ wide. Bonwit Teller. $25. In front of soldier: ***Surrealistic bird*** of bright felt swirled with gay designs. 4″ high, 6¼″ long. Bloomingdale's. $1.75. Bird's perch: Miniature ***domino set*** packed in a little walnut box. 4″ long. Bloomingdale's. $3.95. In front of bird: ***Early automobile*** of tin in gleaming black, pale green trim. 6″ long. 5″ high. East House. $1.65. All prices approximate, including Fed. tax. Store directory, page 229.

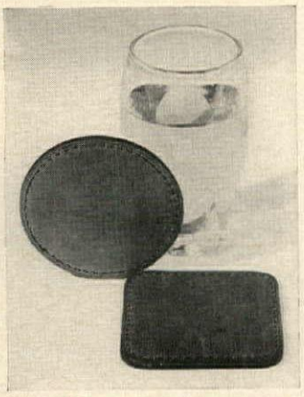
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Tiny treasures to stuff in a stocking, or give to a friend–at $2 and under



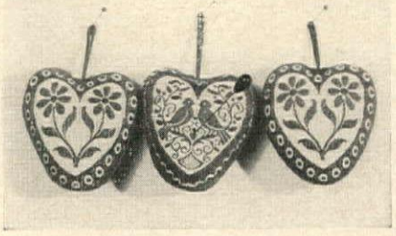
$1.60 each. Chubby angels of copper foil sprinkled with glitter, to parade on a Christmas table. 4½″ high. Jamaican Originals.



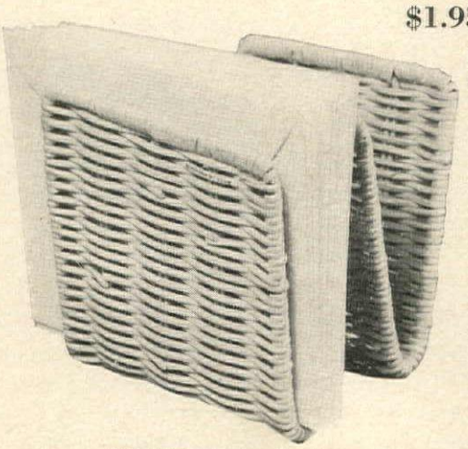
$1.49 each. Handsome brown leather coasters. Either round or square shape. 3¾″ diameter. Abraham & Straus.



$1.69 Yellow ceramic milk mug from Italy, hand painted with a whimsical cow. 3¼″ high. Abraham & Straus.



$1.95 each. Red embroidered pincushions from Bavaria. 3″ diam. New Hope Craft Shop.



$1.25 Wicker holder to keep envelopes, notepaper on hand atop a desk. 4½″ high, 3″ base. East House.

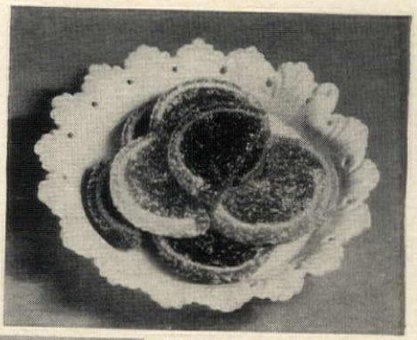


$1.25 White china canister from Japan designed to hold 2 ounces of instant coffee. 4¾″ high. Wilburt.

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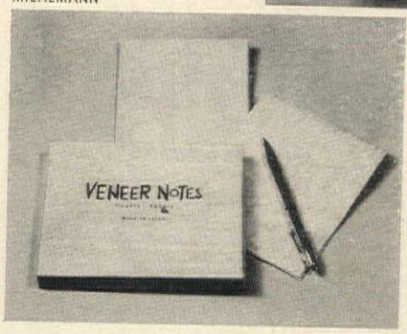


$2 each. Gilded wood plaques decorated with Renaissance angels. 6″ by 4″. Lord & Taylor.

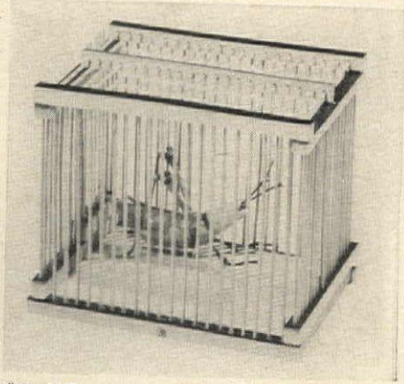


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$1.75 Lacy white ceramic dish for candy or to use as an ashtray. 6″ diam. Bonwit Teller.



$1.50 Unusual note paper and envelopes made of thin, beige wood veneers. Box of twelve. Patricia Moore.



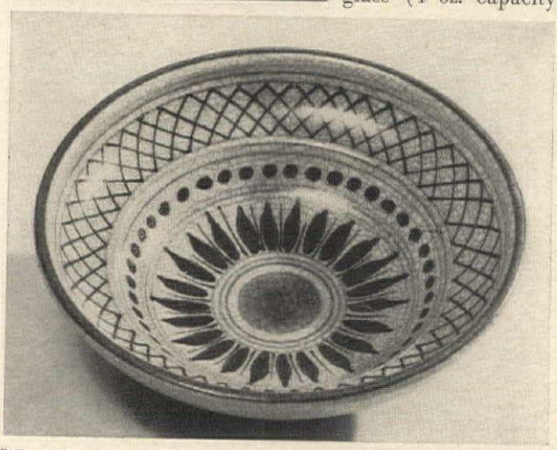
$1.95 Tiny bamboo cage (4″ long, 3¼″ high), housing an amusing wooden cricket, from Japan. Stuart Becker.



$1.65 Shapely 8-oz. glass for burgundy. **$1.40** Smaller, *vin ordinaire* glass (4 oz. capacity). La Cuisinière.



$1.50 Miniature farm scene from Germany composed of tiny (none over 2″), cheerfully painted wood blocks—house, barn, animals, people and trees. Bloomingdale's.



$1.69 Decorative pottery bowl, from Germany, decorated with gay, geometric designs. 6″ diam. Abraham & Straus.

$1.39 each. *Below:* Pottery juice cups from Germany, black outside, white inside; red raffia coasters. Abraham & Straus.





$2 *Above:* Spongy ball for a baby of red and white attached segments. 6½″. Elder Craftsmen Shop.

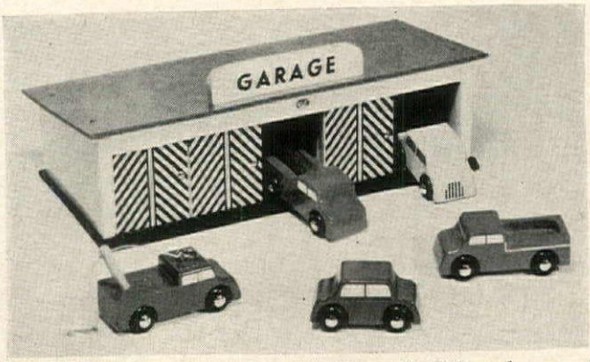


$.85 each. Double eggcups in bright, shiny colors for a gay breakfast splash. 3½″ high. Wilburt.

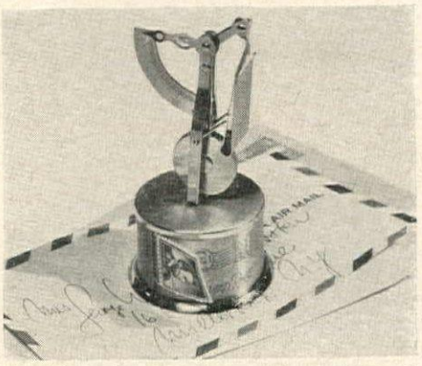
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A gallery of gifts– each with a vivid personality, all at $5 or under



$4.98 Wooden garage from Sweden with sliding doors and a complement of five assorted cars to delight a youthful automobile enthusiast. 21″ long, 6″ wide, 4″ high. Bloomingdale's.



$2.98 Desk-top post office—a little letter scale mounted on a base that holds roll of stamps. 5″ high, 2½″ wide. Gertz.



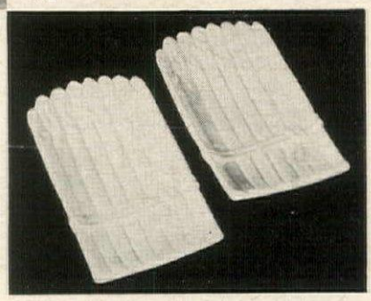
$3 the set. Pencil cup (3″ high) wrapped in Florentine paper, paired with sheaf of twelve matching pencils. Stark Valla Emporium.



$4.50 Blue and white china jar from Japan in three stacking sections. 4½″ high. Stuart Becker.



$4.98 *Left:* Melon-shaped ice-cream mold of tin. Holds 1 liter. 5½″ diameter. La Cuisinière.



$3.75 a pair. White ceramic asparagus plates that might double for salad. 8¼″ long. East House.

$2.98 *Left:* Wooden train (19″ long) from Spain—a happy sister-to-brother surprise. Five different cars in bright colors. Bloomingdale's.

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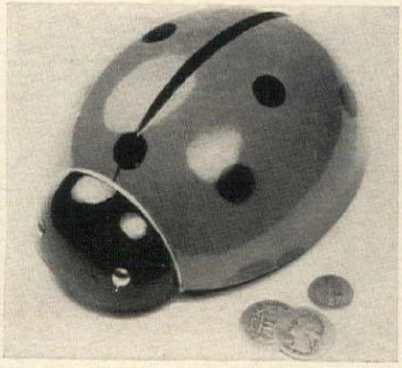
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$3.50 *Left:* "Inch by Inch" by Leo Lionni—a fairy tale. Ivan Obolensky.
$2.95 "Little Blue and Little Yellow" by Leo Lionni—a child's adventure tale. McDowell Obolensky.

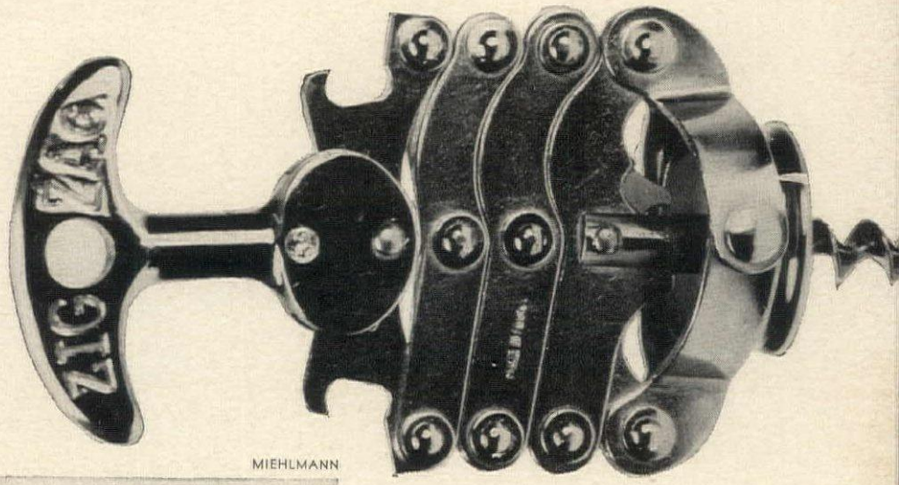
$2.50 *Right:* Red, black-spotted ladybug bank, for a child's first penny hoard. 6½" long. Abraham & Straus.

$4.50 *Below:* "Zig-zag" corkscrew, chrome finish, for the wine connoisseur in your family. 6". La Cuisinière.

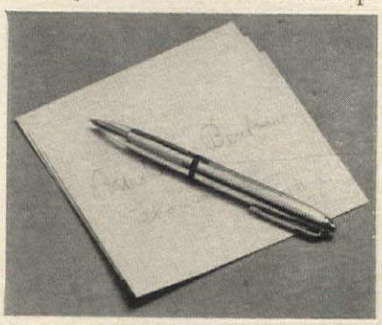




$4 Ovenproof casserole dish hand painted with green design on cream. 15" long. Phoenix Pan American Shop.



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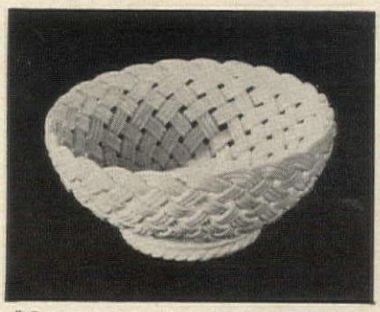
$4.95 For midnight memos: a pen that lights up so you can note reminders in dark. 5½" long. Lillian Ross.



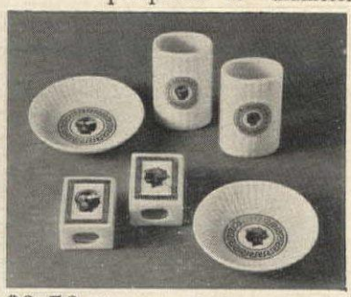
$3.60 Wicker cat basket to make the feline member of a household feel specially pampered. 17" diameter. The Lighthouse.



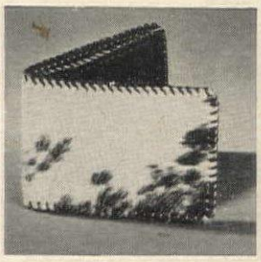
$3.95 the set. "Tea for Two": 3½ oz. Lapsang Souchong, 4½ oz. English Breakfast tea, chrome strainer. Page & Biddle.



$3 White ceramic latticed bowl to fill with fruit or pile with nuts or candy. 5" diam., 2¼" high. Bonwit's.

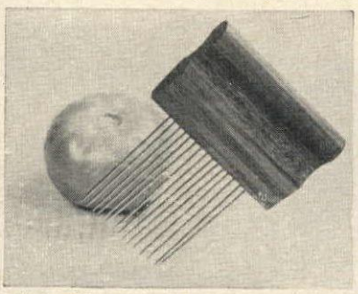


$3.50 the set of three. White and gold china cigarette holder, matchbox and ashtray. East House.



$4.39 Calf hide wallet (black or brown markings on white), leather lining, stitching. Open length: 8¾". The Lighthouse.

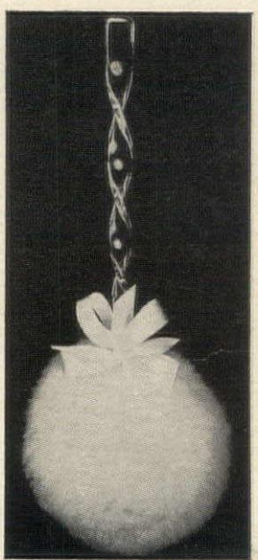




$2.75 *Above:* Tomato and onion cutter that makes thin, even slices. Teakwood, steel. Bloomingdale's.

$4.95 each. *Left:* Gleaming mahogany grapefruit cups with spike. 3¼" high. Jamaican Originals.

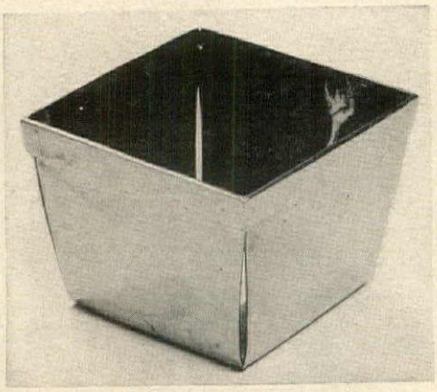
$5 *Right:* For a budding beauty: pink lamb's-wool powder brush, plastic handle 14". Lord & Taylor.



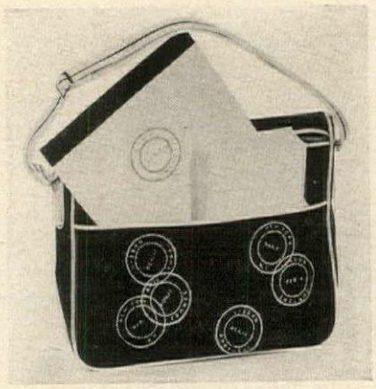
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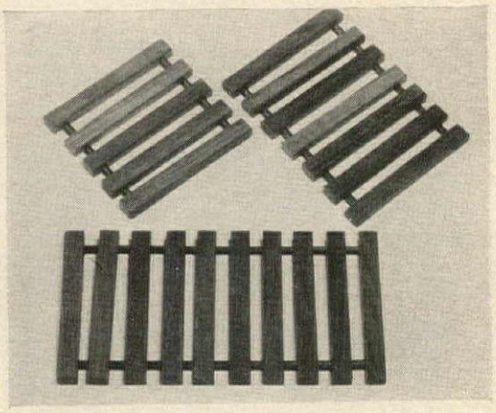
$4 Sea grass flowerpots with metal liners. 8″ diameter. **$3** 6½″ diameter. **$2** 5½″ diameter. Wilburt.



$4.50 Brass berry box from India for a bright accent—perhaps brimming with fragrant potpourri. 4″ diam. The Hecht Co.



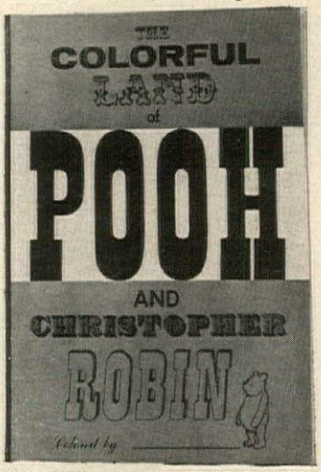
$3 Air travel case (10½″ long) of blue silk-textured vinyl packed with airmail tablet, envelopes. Montag.



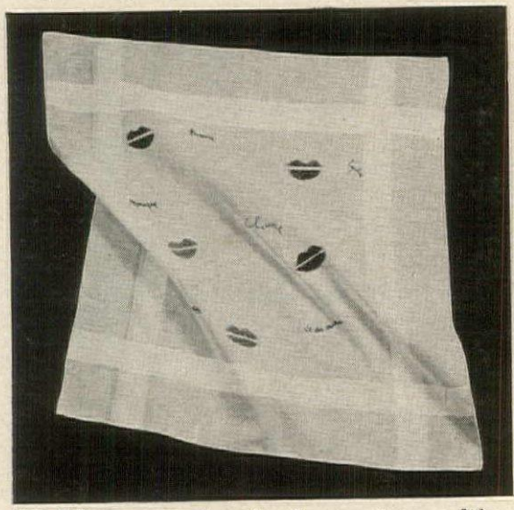
$4.95 the set. Three teakwood trivets, like tiny boardwalks, for hot plates. 5″ wide. Three lengths: 5″, 7″, 10″. Stark Valla Emporium.



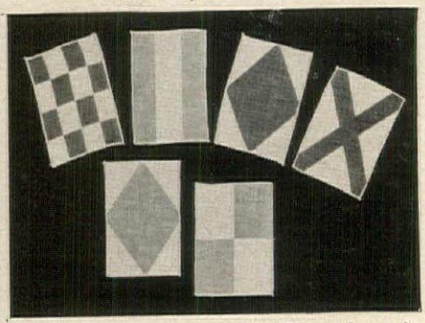
$2.98 For a traveling dog: reversible car coat of corduroy, cotton poplin. Larger sizes: **$3.98, $4.98.** Gimbels.



$3 "Winnie the Pooh" coloring book for rainy-day fun. 20″ by 15″. F.A.O. Schwarz.



$2.50 Teasing token for the man in your life: white linen handkerchief imprinted with lipstick marks and French girls' names. Lord & Taylor.



$2.75 the set. For a landlocked mariner: six flag-signal cocktail napkins, red, white, blue. 7″ by 4½″. East House.

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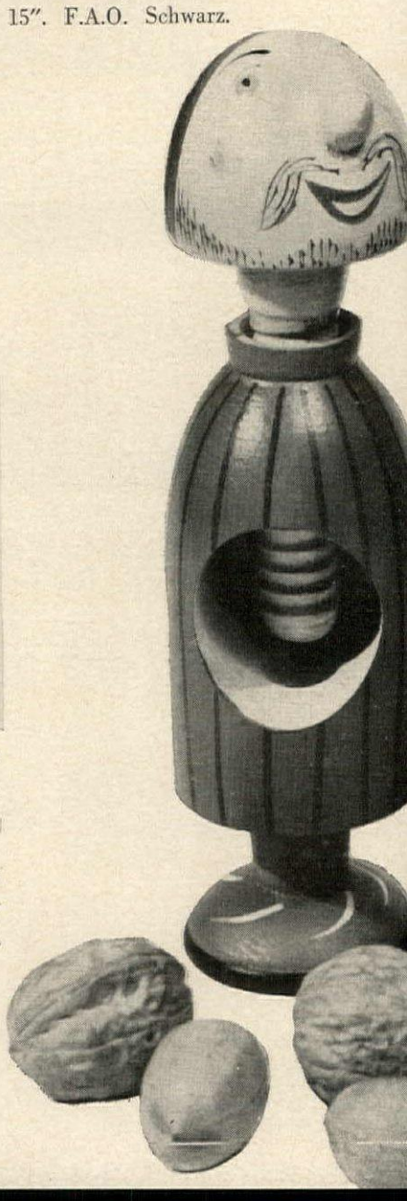




$3.50 *Above:* Stoneware bean pot with dark brown glaze, wicker serving basket. Holds 2 qts. bubbling beans. La Cuisinière.

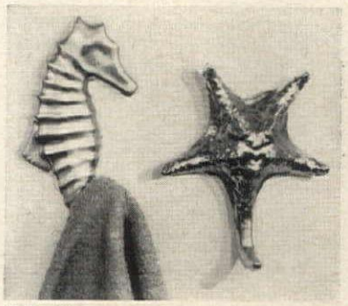
$3.95 *Left:* Pierced brass stamp box in a traditional Indian design. 3¼″ long by 2½″ wide by 2½″ high. Stuart Becker.

$3.99 each. *Right:* Whimsical Bavarian figurine nutcrackers of painted wood. 7½″ and 8″ high. Abraham & Straus.

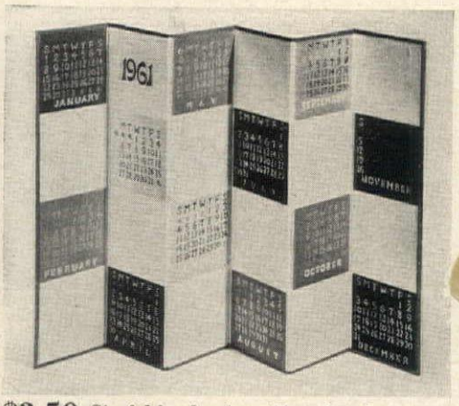


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More personable gifts under $5



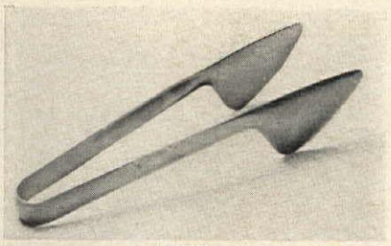
$2.50 each. Towel hooks: gilded ceramic 8½″ sea horse, 7″ starfish. Hammacher Schlemmer.



$3.50 Six-fold calendar of handmade painted Japanese paper, silver and gold lettering. 24½″ long, 14″ high. Artisan Galleries.



$3.25 each. White porcelain demitasse cups from Italy strewn with colorful butterflies. Piazza Montici.



$3.50 Stainless steel 8″ tongs from Germany for picking up ice cubes, cold cuts or salad. Wilburt.

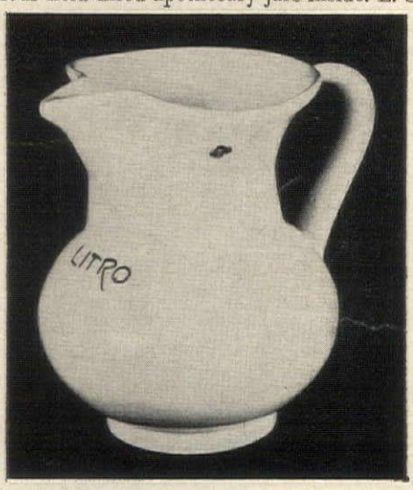


$4.95 *Left:* White ceramic soap dish on pedestal. 3¾″ high, 5½″ long. Hammacher Schlemmer.





$2.50 the set. For a gourmet's kitchen: "Dial-N-Herb" canister (5″ high, 4″ diam.) with herb chart on outside, four herb-filled apothecary jars inside. L. S. Ayres & Co.



$4.50 White ceramic jug from Italy that holds one Italian litro—equivalent to six cups. 6″ high. La Cuisinière.

$4.75 each. Handfuls of fun from a brother to his teen-age sister: Princeton tiger (8″ long, 2½″ high) or Yale bulldog (3½″ long, 4″ high). Both in tiny turtle-neck sweaters. Elder Craftsmen Shop.

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Generous reminders of your love for family and friends –up to $25

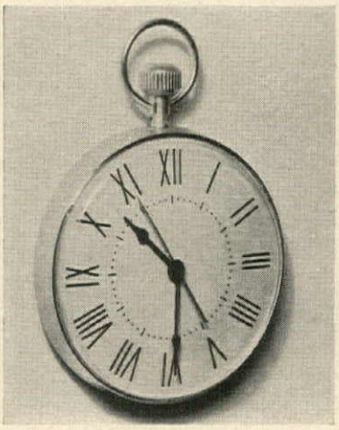


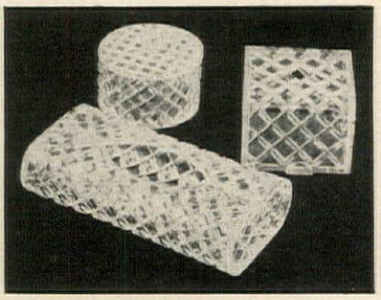
$12.98 Blue and white ceramic flour canister, 13½″ high. **$9.98** Sugar canister, 10½″ high. **$7.98** To complete the set: coffee canister, 8½″. Bloomingdale's.



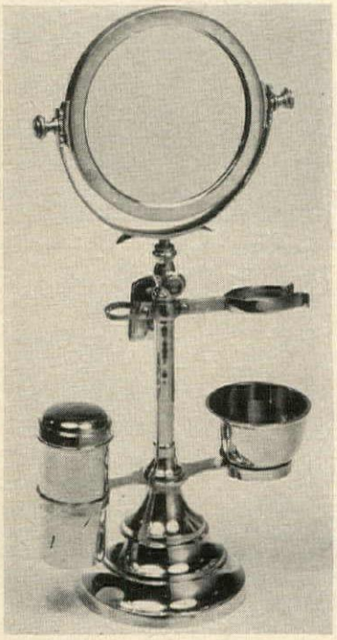
$21.99 Hovering gilt angel to hang above a young girl's bed. 20″ long. Macy's Corner Shop.

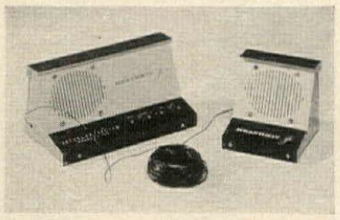
$20 *Right:* Brass shaving stand (14½″ high) with mirror, three holders. Hammacher Schlemmer.





$17.95 Sparkling Lucite tissue box. **$13.95** Powder box. 4″ diam., 3″ high. **$17.95** Square cotton dispenser. 5″ diam. Hammacher Schlemmer.





$19.95 *Above:* For budding engineers: kit by Heath for building two-way intercom. F.A.O. Schwarz.

$9.98 *Left:* Wall clock with black numerals on white face, light gold case. 11″ high. General Electric.



$9.95 Merry-eyed unicorn paperweight with a spiraling horn for a paperspike. In bronze, silver or gold finish. 9″ high, 4″ diam. The Unicorn.

$19 Warm symbol of a happy home: a lacy wrought-iron key to decorate the wall of an entrance hall. 20″ long. Macy's Corner Shop.

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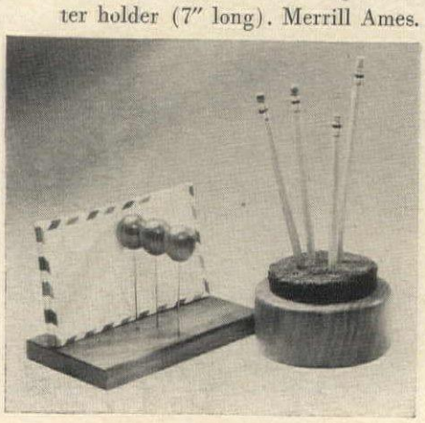


$19.95 Straw beehive-shaped laundry hamper (30″ high) that might also be used as a roomy catchall for children's play things in a family room. Bloomingdale's.



$19.45 Automatic electric egg cooker for one to eight eggs. Four-egg poacher attachment. Sunbeam.

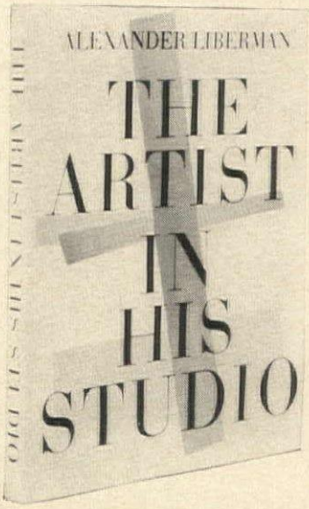
$10.75 the set. *Below:* Walnut pencil caddy (3½″ diam., 2″ high), letter holder (7″ long). Merrill Ames.





$11.50* "House & Garden's Complete Guide to Interior Decoration." Simon and Schuster. **Special pre-Christmas price.*

$17.50 *Right:* Alexander Liberman's "The Artist in His Studio"—a fascinating look at the lives of thirty-nine modern painters. 250 pages—over fifty in color. The Viking Press.



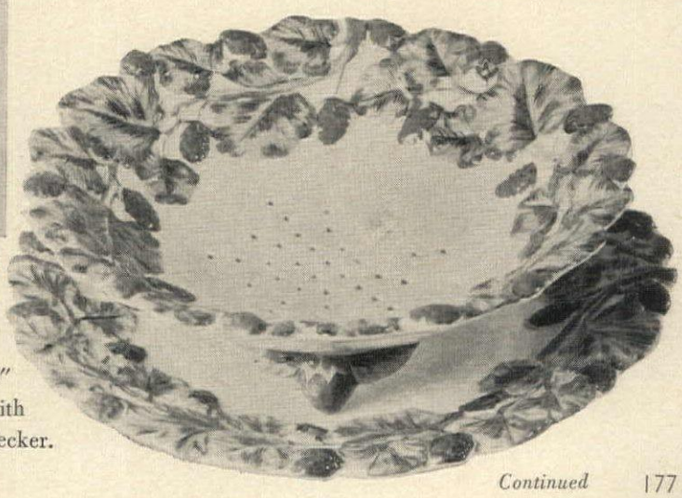


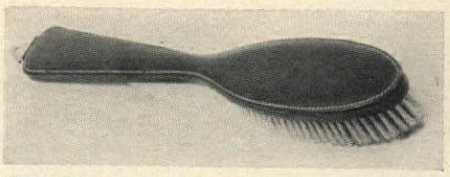
$6.50 Polished French walnut sugar shaker. 7″ high. Princeton Gourmet.



$10 *Above:* Silverplated wine bottle stand in mesh design, matching stopper. Fredericks.

$15 Strawberry bowl (9″ diam.) pierced to drain fruit, with berry-bordered plate. Stuart Becker.





$5.98 To keep your favorite man as well-groomed as he would like to be: long-handled clothes brush. 14½″. Stern's.



$5 to install tiny "Princess" telephone (in New York City)—plus small monthly charge. Oval shape, 8″ long. 42 oz. Bell Telephone.

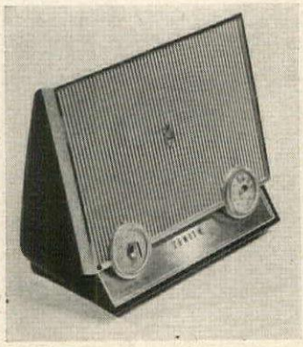


$5.98 Tiny air luggage scale from England with its own pigskin case, to tuck into a traveler's pocket. 6″ long. Stern's.

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Gifts to fill a special person's dream –from $25 up into the hundreds

$39.95 *Below:* Tabletop (10¼") AM "Zephyr" radio, new antenna for less static. Three color choices. Zenith.



$249 *Right:* Airy bassinet of rattan and cane. Vegetable white finish. Willow & Reed.

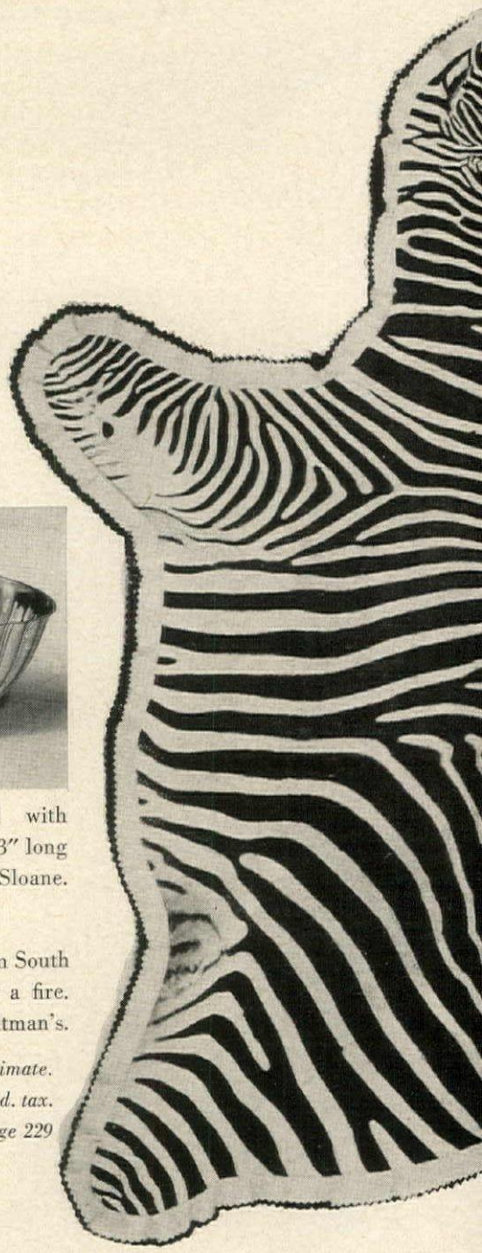




$39 Blue tôle topiary tree from Paris—a pert luncheon centerpiece. Abraham & Straus.

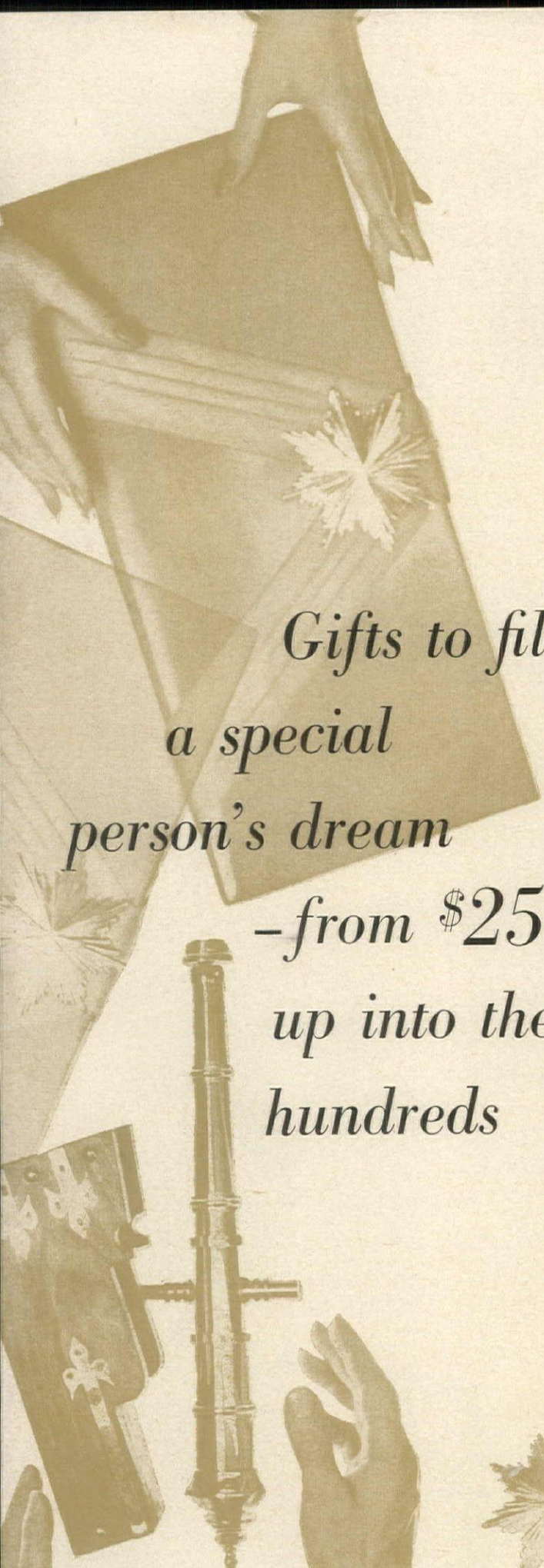


$55 Oval-shaped pewter bowl with molded sides, to heap with fruit. 13" long by 6¾" wide by 5" deep. W & J Sloane.



$302.50 *Right:* Zebra rug from South Africa to curl up on in front of a fire. Lined. 78" long by 67" wide. Altman's.

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$39.99 From an observant wife to her gourmet husband: brass pepper grinder mounted like a cannon on wooden holder. 10" long. Abraham & Straus.



$159 "Music Minder" cabinet of walnut with brass trim that files up to 200 12" LPs or combination of 7", 10" and 12" records. 27½" long, 22" high. Imperial Furniture.

$89.95 Folding Danish tea cart of teak and woven cane. 31" by 19" by 23½" in height. Macy's.





$60 *Left:* Monogrammed brass ice bucket. 7" diameter, 8" deep. Henri Bendel.



$100 For armchair travelers: Queen Anne globe, solid cherry base, brass casters. Brandt Cabinet.

$60 To adorn a hearth: black wrought-iron log basket. 16" diameter, 15" high. John Wanamaker.





$65 Sculptured ceramic plaque by Lucerni. Terra cotta and blue. 10½" by 6½". Piazza Montici.

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$25 For a youthful sailor: "Little Tuffy" plastic boat with mast, sail, paddle. 5′ long, 33" beam. Weight: 8½ lbs. Hammacher Schlemmer.





$29.95 *Above:* "Kabob 'n Grill" for succulent shish kebabs. Electric base, charcoal basket, eight 19" skewers. Hammacher Schlemmer.



$35 *Left:* Black iron horsehead hitching post, brass ring. 44" high. Altman's.

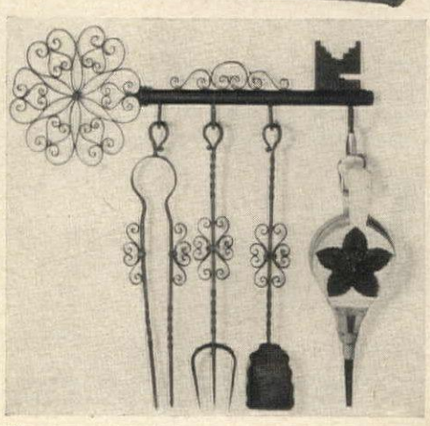


$75 For a collector: wall cabinet of American Elm with shelves and drawers for precious objects. 29" by 20", 8" deep. Richardson Bros.



$35 *Left:* Crewel embroidery kit—15" square of pattern-printed fabric, yarn, needles, instruction book. Erica Wilson.

$40 *Right:* Black wrought-iron fireplace accessories hung on a key-shaped holder. All 18" long except for the 16" long bellows. John Wanamaker.



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H&G's fifth annual

CHRISTMAS BOUTIQUE COLLECTION

To speed along your search for extra-special gifts for the extra-special people on your shopping list, H&G presents its fifth annual Christmas Boutique Collection, *opposite page*. This year's sparkling array of gifts, hand-picked by a team of our editors, is imported from Italy and sold exclusively by the stores listed on page 225. Each gift makes an enchanting offering by itself, or, teamed with others, it might become one of the ingredients in an exciting newcomer under the Christmas tree:

H&G's gift basket

Since everyone knows Christmas morning is at its most infectious, bubbling best when shared by a family, H&G has dreamed up a new gift package—a gay basket you can line with a swirl of colored tissue papers and fill with different Boutique gifts for every member of the family to delve into and enjoy together. To give you an idea of how you might assemble your own gift basket, we plotted one to delight a family of four, *below*, and came up with a total price of $27.50 including the tassel-trimmed basket ($5), fruit appliquéd cocktail napkins for Mother ($7.50), calendar and matching letter opener for Daughter ($3.50), ceramic duck *cum* bottle opener for Father ($6.50), record cleaning gloves for Son ($5). You can vary your own total to suit your pocket by browsing through the other gifts in H&G's Boutique collection and totting up the individual prices until you arrive at a happy figure. You might also try a variation on our idea: a separate, different colored, gift-brimming basket, instead of a stocking, for each member of the family.



1 Whimsical hat stands that look like paper dolls, covered in hand-blocked paper. Stands separate into two flat pieces to tuck into a suitcase. 10″ high. $8.50 each.
2 Gay Italian straw baskets (red, green or natural) with tassel fringes—the crux of H&G's Gift Basket, also perky wastepaper baskets on their own. 9½″ high. $5 each.
3 Decorative tissue box of pink painted wood, embellished with a hand-painted, deep pink Venetian design. $12.50.
4 Pear-shaped box hand-carved from teak with a satin-smooth finish, to adorn a shelf or table, double as a cache for odds and ends. 7½″ high, 5″ diam. $28.50.
5 Brass trivet with walnut handles—an elegant support for a sumptuous casserole. Trivet stretches to 15″. $12.50.
6 Bright yellow felt gloves with soft, chamois palms for keeping records spanking clean. $5 a pair.
7 Ivory and gold painted make-up box with Leonardo da Vinci print. Four compartments. 8⅝″ by 7¼″. $12.50.
8 Trio of pottery jam pots in H&G's Antique White, fruit topped lids; matching tray. Jars 4¼″ tall. $10.50 set.
9 White ceramic soap dish hand-painted with a small blue bird to make a pretty accent in a bathroom. $3.
10 Matching tumbler, two toothbrush holders. $6.50 set.
11 Star-shaped candlesticks of gilded wood that would look festive on a Christmas lunch table. $3.50 pair.
12 Gleaming brass silent butler, walnut handle. $12.50.
13 White ceramic bowl for bright blossoms. 7″ diam. $6.50.
14 Leather matchbox case hand-tooled with coat of arms of Siena, for a man's study. Holds 2½″ matches. $10.50.
15 Matching desk-blotter corners. $10.50 set of four.
16 Notebook with handsome cover (choice of two Roman temples), practical plastic finish. 8″ by 6″. $1.25.
17 Adjustable brass magnifying lens on a stand, sure to please a coin or stamp collector. 6″ high. $16.50.
18 Long (11″) brass shoehorn, walnut handle. $6.50.
19 Sheer linen cocktail napkins, each one hand-appliquéd with a different, delectable fruit. $7.50 set of four.
20 Heart-shaped jewelry box to enchant a young girl. Venetian design outside, blue velvet lining. 4¼″. $12.50.
21 Ceramic chicken eggcup in H&G's Antique White, to entertain a child while he eats his breakfast egg. $2.50.
22 Graceful alabaster butterflies (jade or malachite green, or white) to perch on a desk or shelf. $4.50 each.
23 Magnifying lens (6¼″) that lights up inside. $16.50.
24 Jaunty pheasant and serene duck of ceramic that turn upside down to reveal a bottle opener. $6.50 each.
25 Brass letter opener (7″) topped with cherub. $12.50.
26 Three brass nightie hooks embellished with plump little cherubs. Left to right: $6.50, $7.50, $5.
27 Miniature (2½″ long, 1¾″ wide) picture holder to tuck into a pocket or handbag. Blue silk-satin inside, brass outside. Holds four photographs. $11.50.
28 Tasseled silk velvet picture frame in H&G's Hyacinth Blue. 4¾″ by 4″. $13.50.
29 Alabaster strawberry and walnut clusters—charming paperweights for a woman. $6.50 each.
30 Perpetual desk calendar, matching (10″) letter opener, trimmed with red and gold hand-blocked paper. $3.50 set.
31 Brass ram's head paperweight. $10.50.

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There's nothing like *Your first greenhouse* to show you the best way to enjoy spring all winter

Some people start their gardening careers in a greenhouse and from there move with the season into the open garden. But usually it is just the other way around: once infected by the gardening virus the victims find themselves unable to shake the disease at summer's end. So, perforce, they must become winter gardeners, too. Whatever your own reason for wanting a greenhouse, remember there will never be another one quite as wondrous as the first, so make the most of it. As for general recommendations, H&G makes only three. First, plan to make your greenhouse a little larger than you think necessary, on the safe theory that no good greenhouse is ever quite big enough. Second, provide for as much automatically controlled equipment as you can afford. If you go to an office every day, you may find it difficult, if not impossible, to operate nonautomatic controls at the right times. Third, make your greenhouse a livable part of your home—to be seen, entered and enjoyed as directly and as often as possible in all weathers. On these and the next two pages, as well as in "Gardener's Month" (page 254), you will see the great range of possibilities open to you.

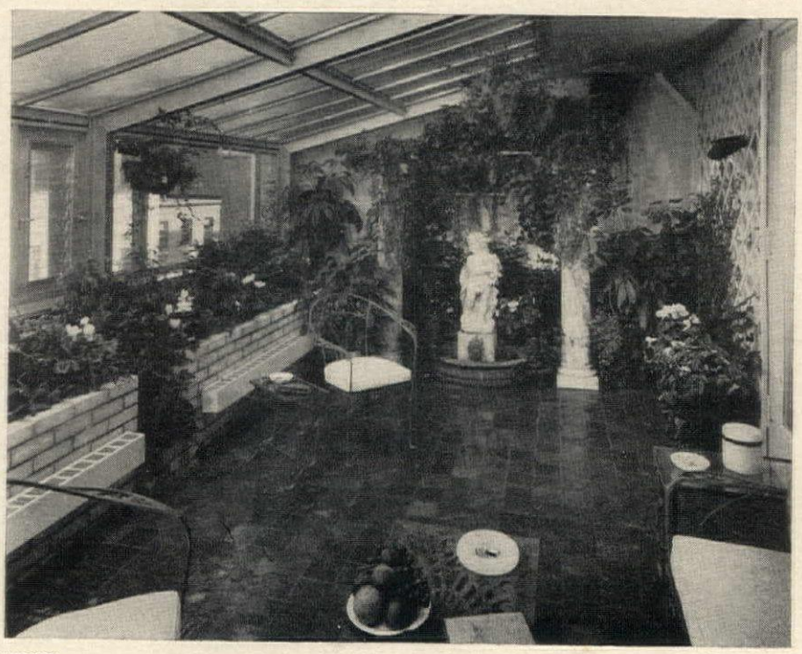
In capsule form, a whole world of winter color



◀If summer gardening turns your life inside out, winter gardening under glass can turn it outside in. The simple aluminum lean-to, *above*, that nestles so unobtrusively against a southwest wall in West Roxbury, Mass., displays, when you enter it, the astonishing world of color, *opposite*. Its owner, Mrs. Harold G. Arnold, has long been a practiced and dedicated outdoor gardener. Three seasons ago she became a greenhouse gardener. Here you see her first year's harvest of flowers, reflecting the owner's skill as well as the winter longing for color and more color that everybody shares. The bewildering variety on bench and shelf is dominated by creamy amaryllis above red cyclamen, red and white *Primula malacoides*, and pink azaleas, with white cineraria, golden daffodils, blue grape-hyacinths for accent. Freesias and petunias hang from above; passion-flower twines at the back; heliotrope, impatiens, kalanchoe, ivy, crocus sparkle among them. This cheerful mixture (only one act in an ever changing winter show) thrives in a night temperature of 50°.

Living plant room on a city rooftop

What makes a real greenhouse out of the glass-roofed living room atop Mrs. Dunlevy Milbank's New York City house is the fact that it has every provision for maintaining plants in full vigor the year round. Roof vents and jalousies control fresh air, fin-tube radiation distributes controlled heat. Succession of bloom is assured by the all-year ministrations of Landscape Architect Dolores Hoyle Richardson.



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The story of one family's *greenhouse*

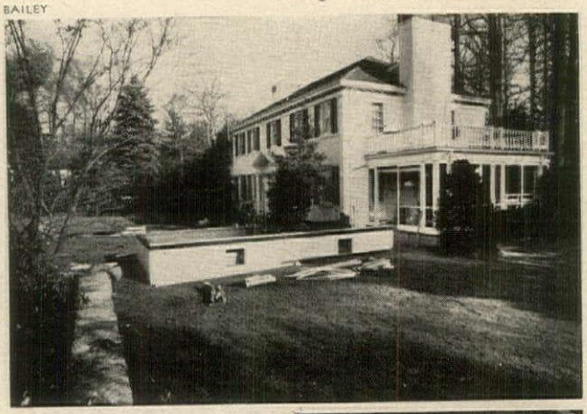


First move: the owner lays out the foundations



Footings are set square and true

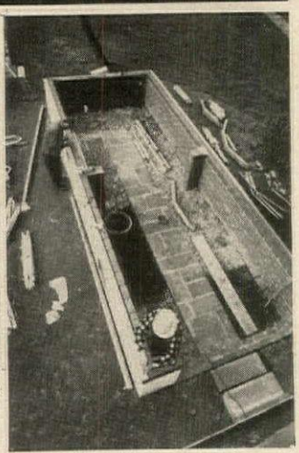
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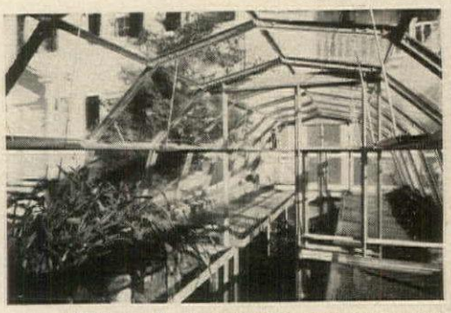
Heaters go in south wall



Walls adjoin house corner



Central walk is flagstone



Sliding door separates compartments



Finished project awaits only final landscaping

You might think twice before you put a greenhouse in the middle of your front lawn. But when the Jerome Eatons came to the decisive point in planning a greenhouse they could live with and enjoy, thinking twice was scarcely necessary. The front lawn, off the family porch and living room, promised access to the greenhouse that would be convenient in all weathers. There, too, the orientation was the best available, and very nearly the best they could have wished for—with easterly sun coming over the porch roof, south sun striking the long glass ridge, clear exposure to the west. And the simple and pleasant lines of their house dictated the matching simplicity and structural excellence of the aluminum and glass design they chose.

About equipment, they had strong opinions. Mr. Eaton had learned an invaluable lesson from a frustrating period with a bits-and-pieces greenhouse, ill-equipped for heating and watering, inaccessible in bad weather except by dog-sled, so far removed from the house, indeed, that he had to devise a sort of covered wagon to ferry plants from the greenhouse and back. The nub of this lesson was, and is, that drudgery in a home greenhouse is about twice as irksome as it is in the outdoor garden and that the more foolproof, care-proof, worry-proof equipment you can put into your home greenhouse, the happier your winters will be.

After months of planning (planning, of course, is half the fun of having a greenhouse), the Eatons decided to erect a two-compartment, prefabricated aluminum model, fairly long, low and of two-bench width. Choice of brick foundation was obvious, since their house was of brick. Built as an ell of the house proper, the greenhouse foundation (see *far left*) was readily served by hot and cold water, electricity and gas lines. The Eatons further decided to forego soil benches and to provide open benches of wire mesh on aluminum supports for the most versatile accommodation of pot plants. Most crucial of all was Mr. Eaton's decision to do all the planning and most of the erection himself, hiring professional help where and when he needed it.

Operating a home greenhouse in Scarsdale, the New York City suburb where the Eatons live, presents typical temperate-climate

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Door separates cool end of greenhouse from warm section



Length of sewer pipe houses the hose

problems, including some below-zero nights, summers that are long and hot. Mr. Eaton (who is director of the Duke Gardens, Somerville, N. J., and a gardener with world-wide interests) wanted automatic control of heat, humidity and ventilation the year round, which would permit him to leave the greenhouse for extended periods in less devoted hands than his own. While orchids are an important enthusiasm for the Eatons, their interests are catholic and subject to change without notice, so the decision to have two compartments, one with a night temperature ranging down to 50°, the other holding 65°, was a logical one. For serviceability and appearance, they laid a central walk of flagstones in concrete; for drainage and improved humidity control, they surfaced space beneath benches with pebbles. Two thermostatically controlled gas heaters are set in one wall. Ventilation and humidification are also automatic. When these pictures were taken, the first plants had just been moved in. Now, half way through its first year, the greenhouse is a triumphant success. The proof? It is, alas, not nearly big enough.

For other greenhouses, details of operating equipment, see "Gardener's Month," page 254



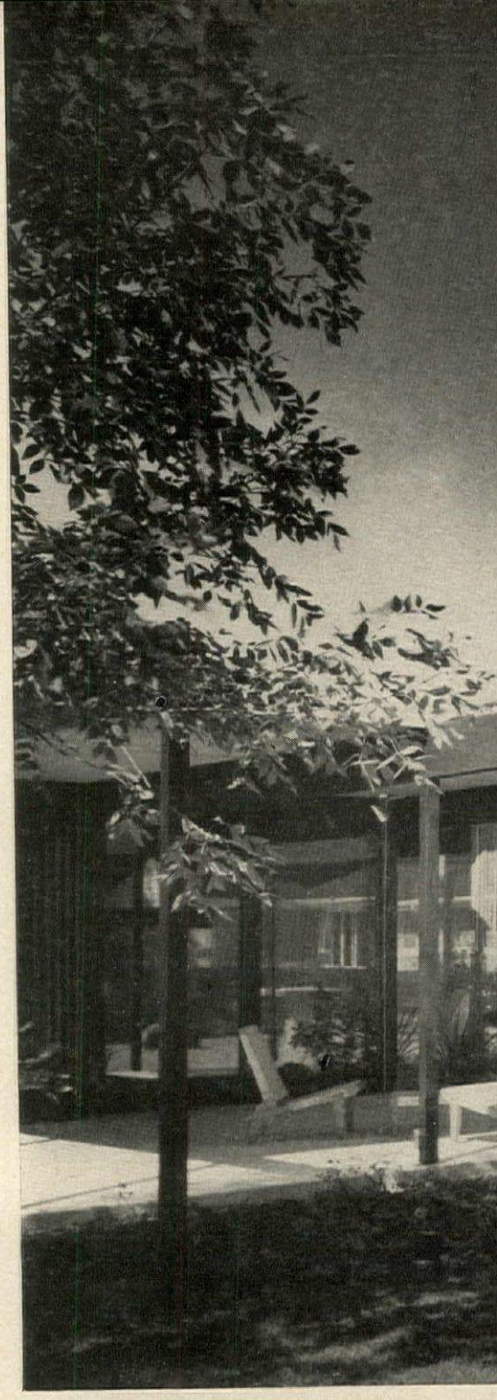
Movable shelves of aluminum slats supplement open-mesh benches

What makes a new house new?

Not the mere fact that the workmen finished it yesterday. In plan and design, in equipment and materials, a really new house not only reflects, but encourages, new ways of living. On the twelve pages starting here are two new houses that illustrate the advances of the past ten years.

A house that works like two

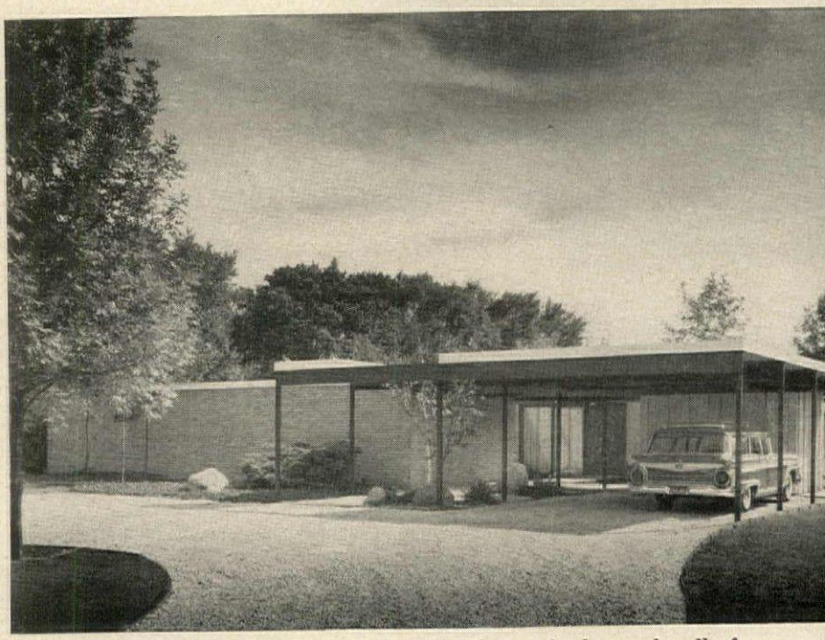
With a new approach to planning, this custom-built house provides separate bailiwicks for adults and children



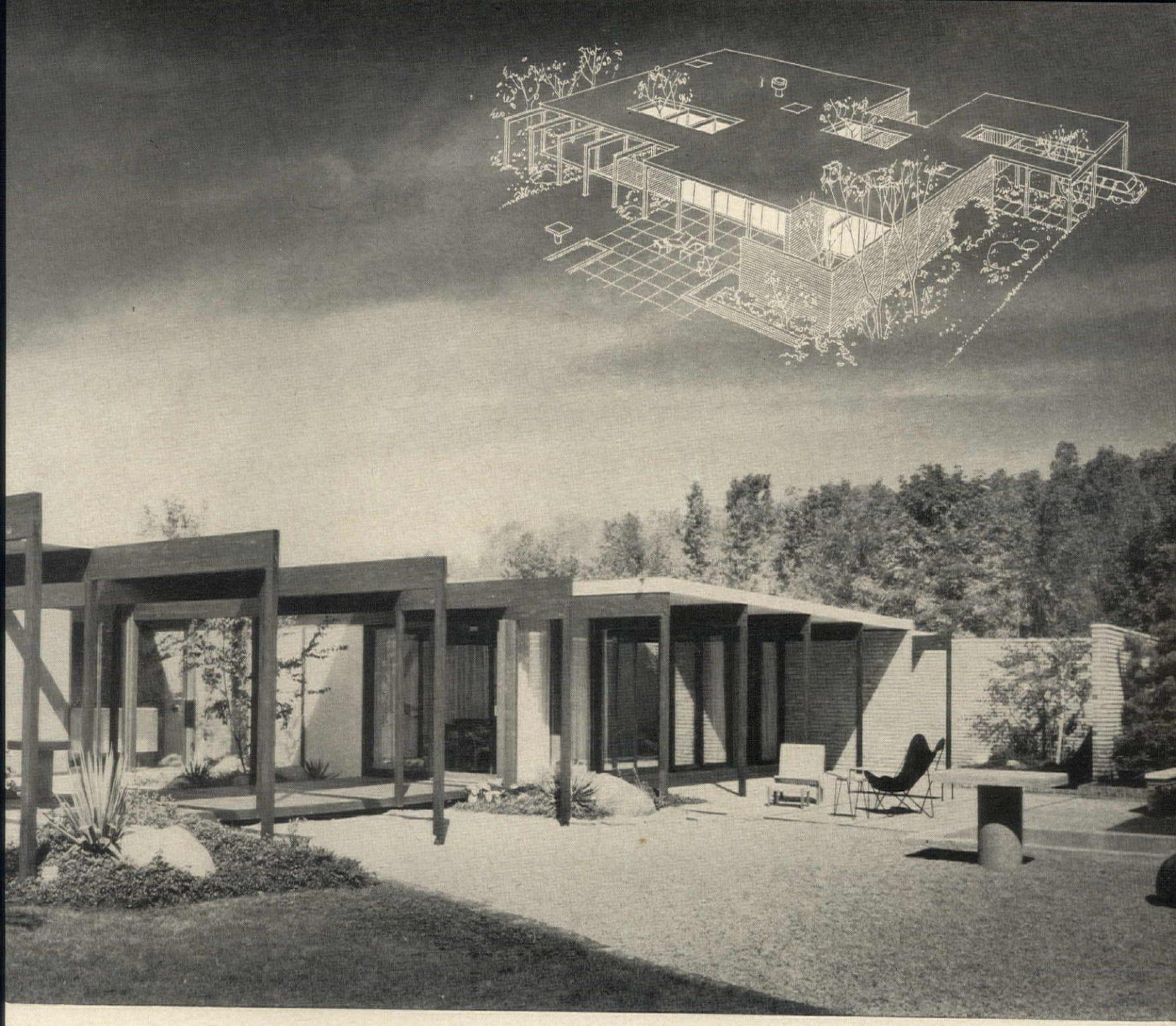
ARCHITECTS:
Huebner & Henneberg
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT:
Theodore D. Brickman
SIZE:
3000 square feet

Few periods in our history can match the past decade in the number of spectacular changes it has witnessed in our daily living. From a nation well supplied with automobiles we have turned into a nation living on wheels—with the not too surprising result that the garage has become the real entrance of today's house. In a matter of months TV grew up from a rather expensive toy into standard household equipment and in the process added to the house a new room—the family room. Insulating glass and new heating systems have made the glass walls of the southern California house equally comfortable for the climate of northern Illinois. The whole country has succumbed to a passion for cooking, eating, and lounging outdoors, but at the same time land on which to build, cook and lounge has become progressively scarcer. So today's house makes use of every inch of its lot and turns away from the street to face several outdoor living areas, each related in design and purpose to a major room.

All these changes are reflected in this house built in Glenview, Ill., for a family with three small children. It also demonstrates several other points that make today's house better than one built ten years ago: The plan is divided into separate areas for children's activities and parents' relaxation and entertaining. Though the house has no separate dining room, there is more than one place to dine. The kitchen is designed not only for efficiency, but also as a pretty, pleasant room to live in. And from the front door to the children's bedrooms there is a wealth of specialized storage, precisely organized to keep the most things in the least space and yet make them easily available. All these virtues add up to a good check list for judging the newness of any house built today.

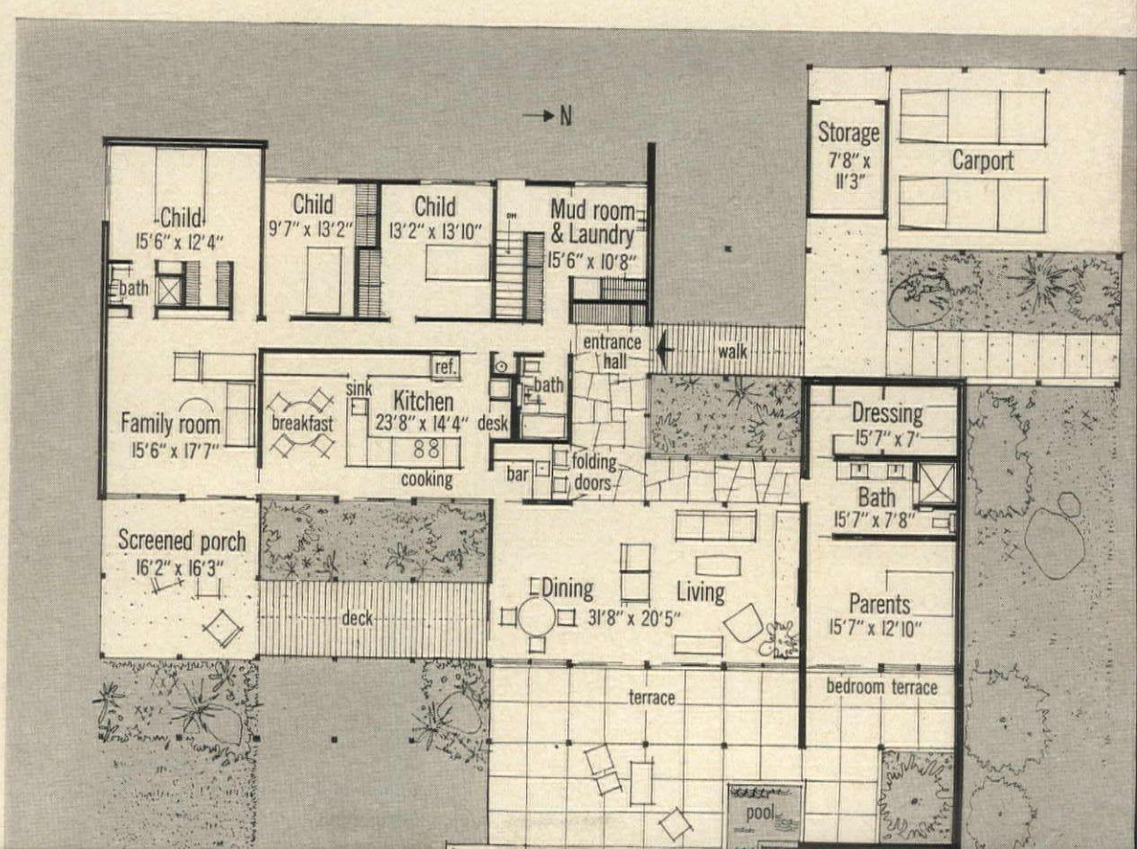


From the street you see only the carport and the windowless end wall of the house which extends at the left to shield bedroom terrace. Like so many new houses, this one turns inward toward outdoor areas which are screened by the house itself. Covered walk at left of carport leads to the front door.



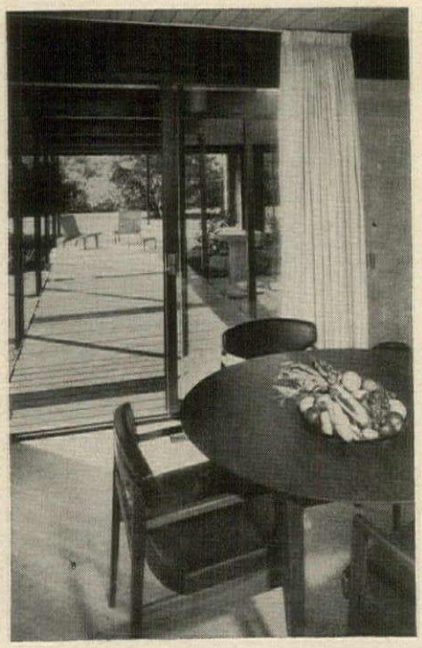
Outdoor living areas expand the rooms, making major interiors seem more spacious even in chilly weather when sliding glass doors are closed. At far left is screened porch adjoining family room; next to it covered deck and tiny garden outside kitchen. Living-dining room opens to large terrace separated by small pool from walled terrace of parents' bedroom.

The plan is divided into two main areas: one for children and family activities, the other for parents and entertaining. As you walk beyond carport into flagstone paved entrance hall, you face corridor leading past kitchen and children's rooms to family room at far end of house. If you turn left in entrance hall you enter living-dining room, in one corner of which is a door to parents' secluded suite. House covers whole depth of lot and all the main rooms face the sheltered eastern side.



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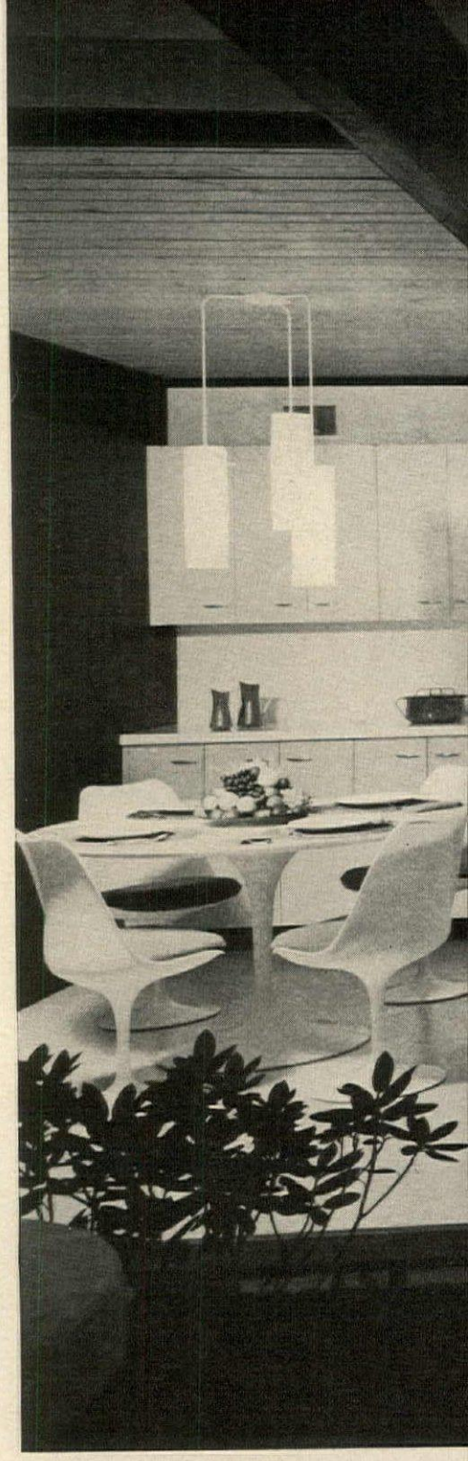
The kitchen is the link between the living-dining room and the family room

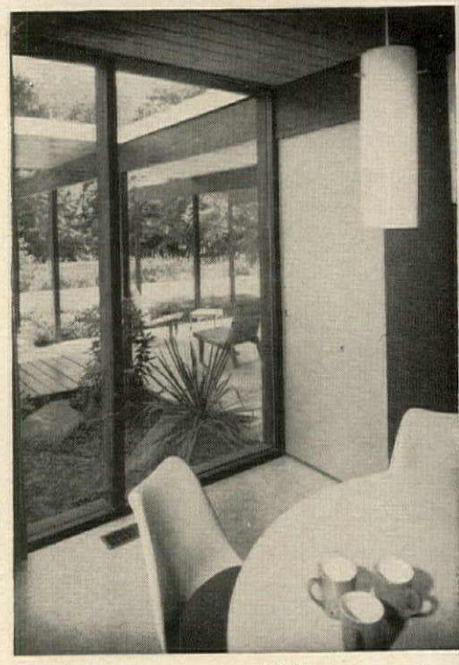


Dining corner of living room, *left,* is only a few steps away from kitchen (through bar—see plan, previous page) but is joined by the covered deck to the screened porch outside the family room. In many new houses the main dining area is reserved for dinner parties since there are usually other areas for family meals.

Fireplace end of living room, *below,* along with dining area, *left,* may be opened wide to terrace beyond curtained window wall, thus doubling space available for big parties. Along the other side of the room a broad aisle paved with flagstone, like floor of entrance hall, looks out through another glass wall to the planting beside the entrance walk. The whole paved section is like an indoor patio where guests can enjoy cocktails served from the little bar normally hidden by folding doors. Outdoor materials like flagstone and brick emphasize close kinship of indoors and outdoors while the generous use of wood for the ceiling and post-and-beam construction of house give it warmth.







Breakfast area at end of kitchen next to family room is a pleasant place for family meals.

Kitchen sparkling with light and color is designed for enjoyment as well as efficiency. Yellow and white of cabinets and countertops are spiced with bright red of chair cushions, and the whole room is bathed in daylight coming through ceiling-to-floor glass wall. The work center is like a room within a room marked off by sink counter projecting at right angle from the back wall and island cooking counter that parallels wall. The refrigerator is in the rear wall at end of storage cabinets; oven and planning desk in right wall.

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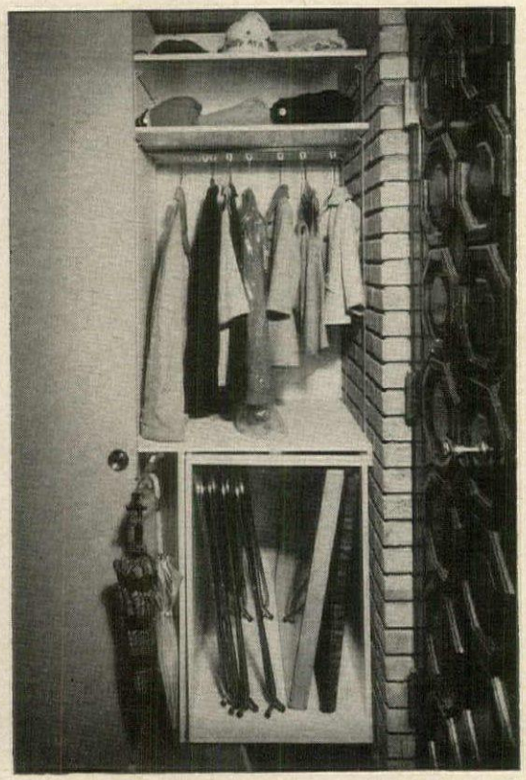
Family room adjacent to children's bedrooms is typical of the informal living room which has become a standard adjunct of today's house. Located next to the kitchen, it makes a comfortable spot for serving drinks to one or two guests, for children's play and parties, for watching TV. Entrance to kitchen at right may be closed off by sliding door concealed in a wall pocket.

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Earmarks of an up-to-date house: small conveniences that save time and space, storage organized to keep things easily available

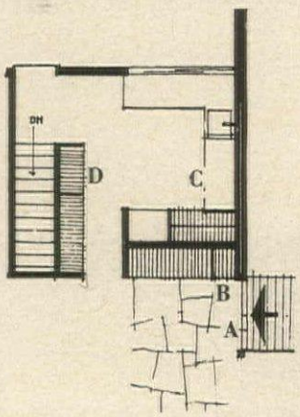


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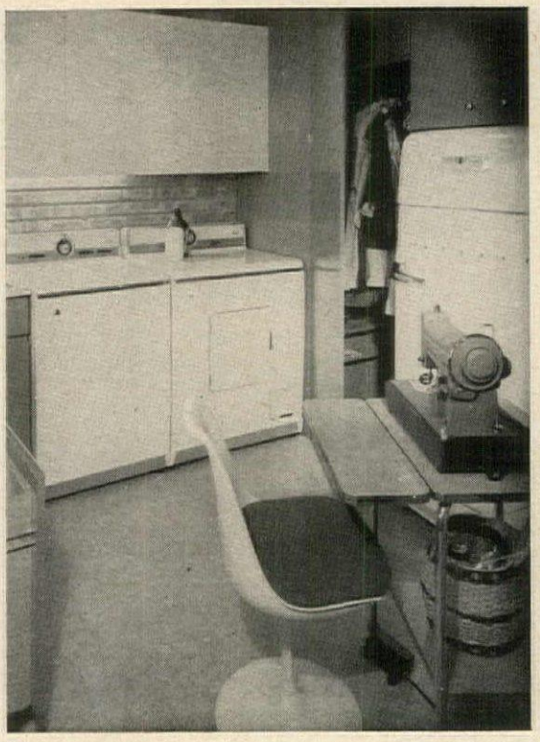
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In the entrance hall (A) which you approach by a covered walk leading past the carport, is a two-section coat closet with sliding doors. The smaller section (B) shows how today's houses make the most of space by means of specialized storage. Adjustable shelves are placed so the contents of the closet will fit the space exactly and no room will be wasted. Thus, there is space enough below the children's small coats to accommodate a bridge table and chairs and, next to them, a compartment with a pull-out rack for umbrellas. Front door of handsomely paneled teak adds a warm accent to this contemporary house.



In the mud room-laundry, a highly practical feature in many of today's houses, are all the facilities children need for washing up when they come in from play. In addition, the room contains laundry machines (C) ample cupboards for storing supplies, a sewing machine on a drop-leaf, roll-about table and a freezer. Next to the freezer is a closet for clothes awaiting buttons; built into the counter opposite is a large pull-out laundry bin. Along wall opposite the washer and dryer are two more closets—one with special compartments for cleaning equipment, the other (D) fitted with gaily painted pegs for children's outdoor playclothes, and shelves and a basket for boots and toys.

NOWELL WARD



C



D

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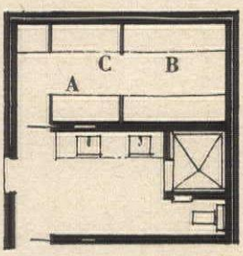


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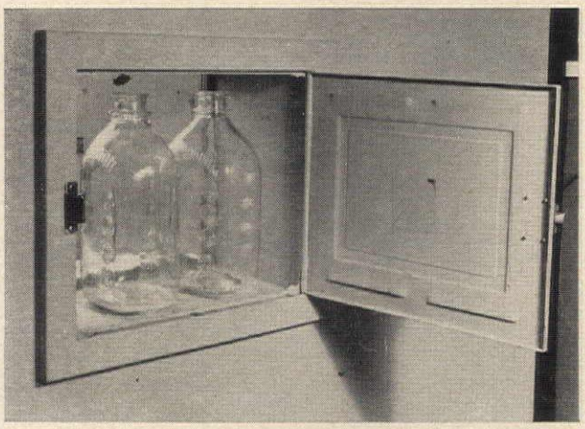


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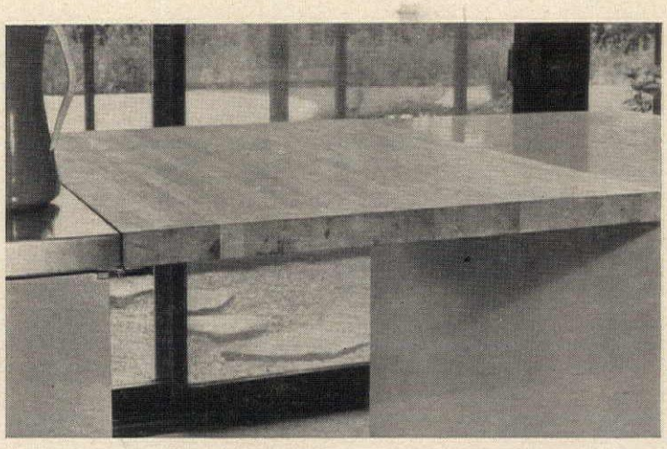




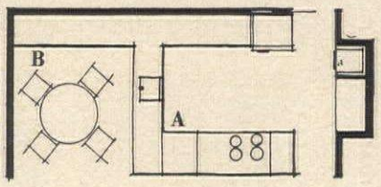
In the parents' dressing room clothing is organized with both precision and imagination. Specially designed shelves, trays and racks not only keep things in good order but make them all visible at once, which helps enormously to speed dressing. Pull-out trays (A) each offer a choice of four pairs of shoes. Rods installed at two levels almost double the space for hanging clothes (B) while vertical partitions divide one type from another. Shirts are kept laundry-fresh on individual pull-out shelves (C) and quickly mated to ties on racks inside of cupboard doors. This deep windowless dressing room and all the bathrooms are well lighted by skylights, a device frequently used in new houses today to bring daylight into working areas without sacrificing any wall space.



Pass-through in laundry



A



B



In the kitchen area the efficiency of modern equipment is supplemented by small, thoughtful details such as these: A special pass-through, *above*, set into the outside wall of the laundry provides a place where the milkman and other delivery men can leave orders, pick up empty bottles, without having to traipse into the kitchen. A maple cutting board (A) hinged to one end of the kitchen cooking counter may be raised to provide a continuous work surface and, incidentally, keep inquisitive youngsters out of the cook's way. A cabinet in the breakfast area (B) provides orderly storage for place mats and napkins which are kept fresh and flat on pull-out shelves.

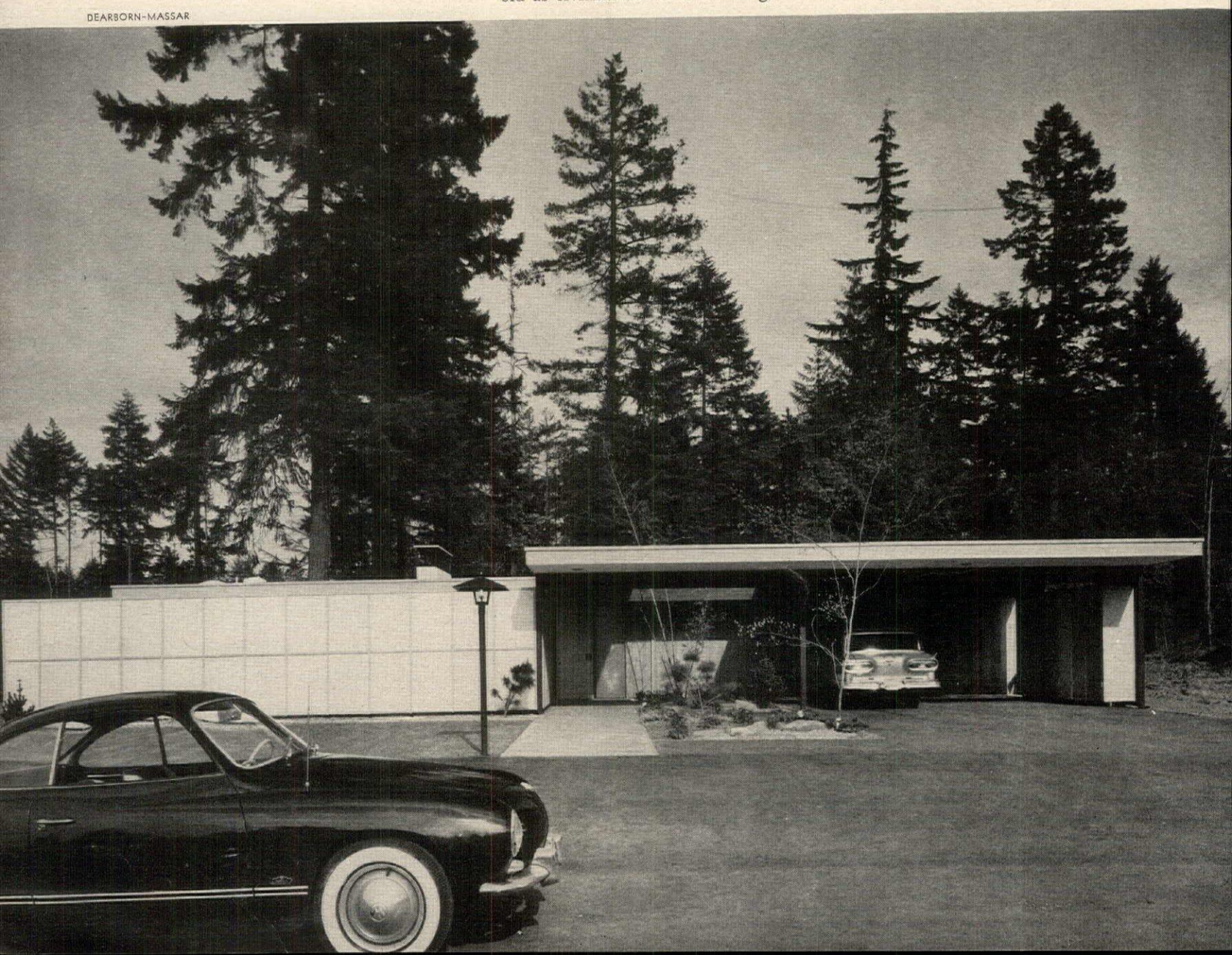
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A small house that doubles its size

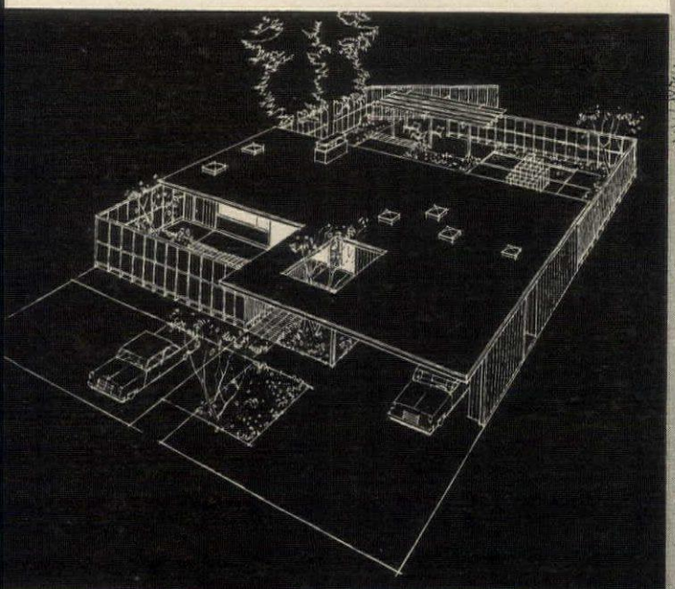
By expanding indoor rooms with outdoor space, by using the whole lot for living, this built-for-sale house is larger than its dimensions

This compact, moderate-cost house which was built for sale in Tacoma, Wash. in 1959, shares with the custom-built house on pages 186 to 191 many of the features that distinguish today's new houses from those of ten years ago. This house, too, turns its carport and a blank wall to the street, and inside the house you will find a family room, a choice of dining areas, generous built-in kitchen equipment and specialized storage. Improved forms of lighting and recently developed materials such as translucent plastic panels are also demonstrated here. But above all, this builder's house shows what up-to-date planning can do to make a small house seem large, almost double in size, in fact, by the addition of carefully organized outdoor areas that make the most of every inch of a small lot. Despite its location in a crowded suburban area, every major room in the house has a window wall *and complete privacy as well.* In achieving this feat, canny planning was abetted by a simple device as old as civilization which is being handled today in a new manner—the tall fence.

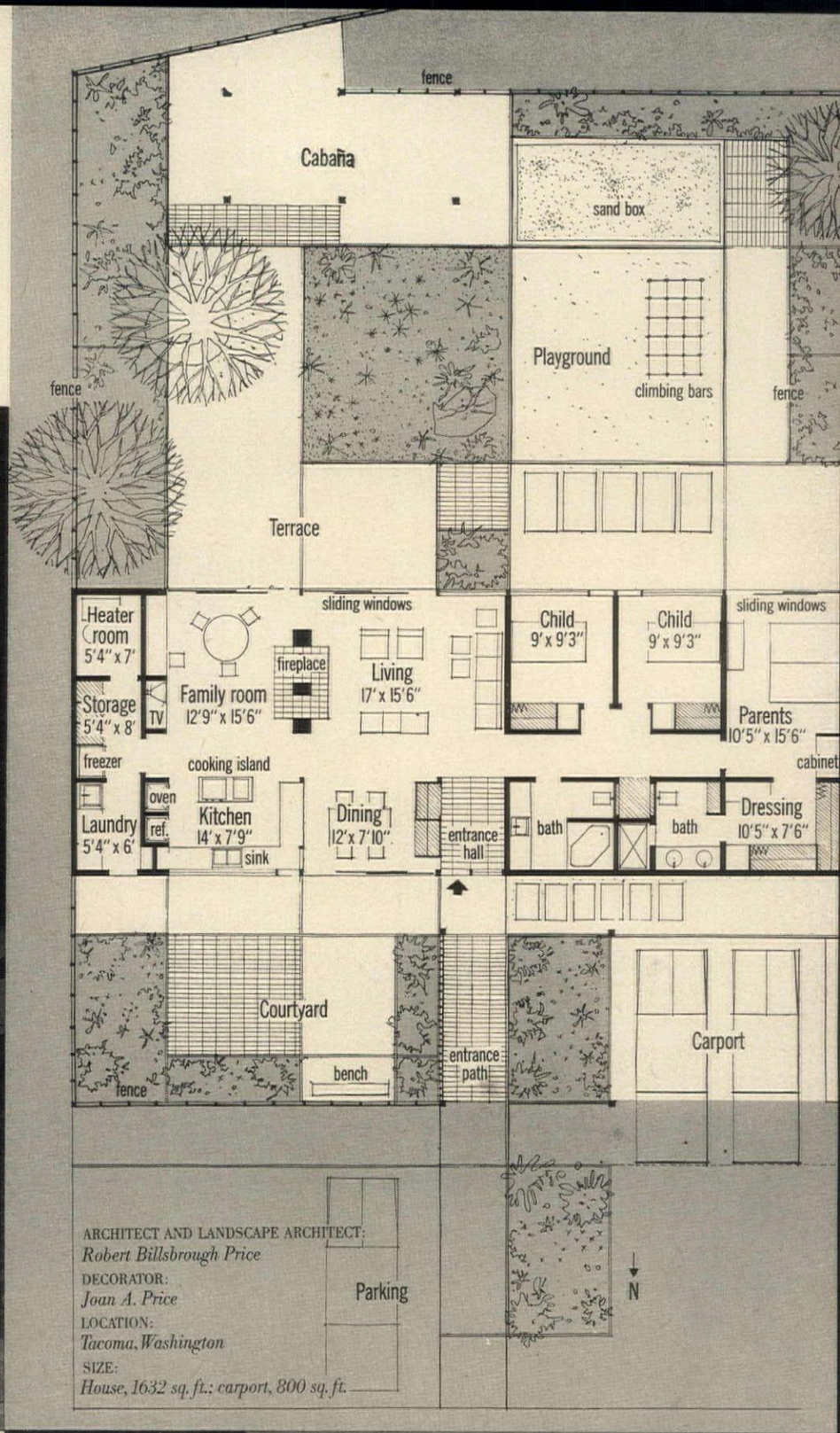
DEARBORN-MASSAR



Vital to the success of the compact rectangular plan are the carefully organized outdoor areas that give each room added spaciousness. The house itself bisects the lot, automatically screening the terraces, play yard and cabana at the rear. Every major room has a view of these while the dining area and kitchen also look out on the fenced courtyard in front. Main indoor living area is essentially one huge room with two-way fireplace and a row of cabinets separating the living-dining half of the space from the family room-kitchen.







ARCHITECT AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT:
Robert Billsbrough Price
DECORATOR:
Joan A. Price
LOCATION:
Tacoma, Washington
SIZE:
House, 1632 sq. ft.; carport, 800 sq. ft.

The front courtyard for outdoor dining is screened from the entrance walk and carport by a slender lattice fence. Sliding glass doors open dining room wide to this court which is also in full view of kitchen through wall-to-wall window over sink counter. Play of textures—brick, gravel, concrete, wood—is characteristic of today's manner of handling materials.

The courtyard fence and the carport, *opposite page,* are all you can see of the house from the street. A brick walk covered by an extension of the carport roof leads to the front door and brick paving continues into entrance hall. Courtyard fence is made of plastic panels which are translucent, but not transparent, so they glow warmly at night when house is lighted, *right*—along with glass panel next to front door. House wall at back of carport is of vertical cedar boards.

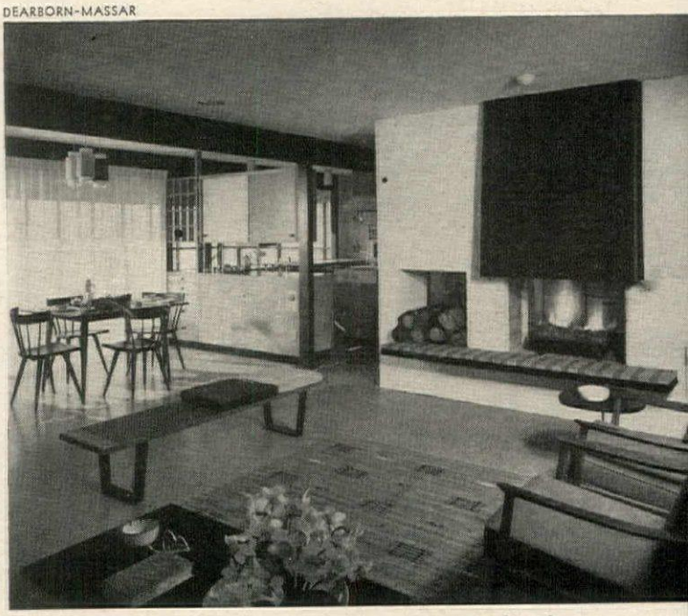
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Living room, dining room and family room are each within a few steps of the kitchen

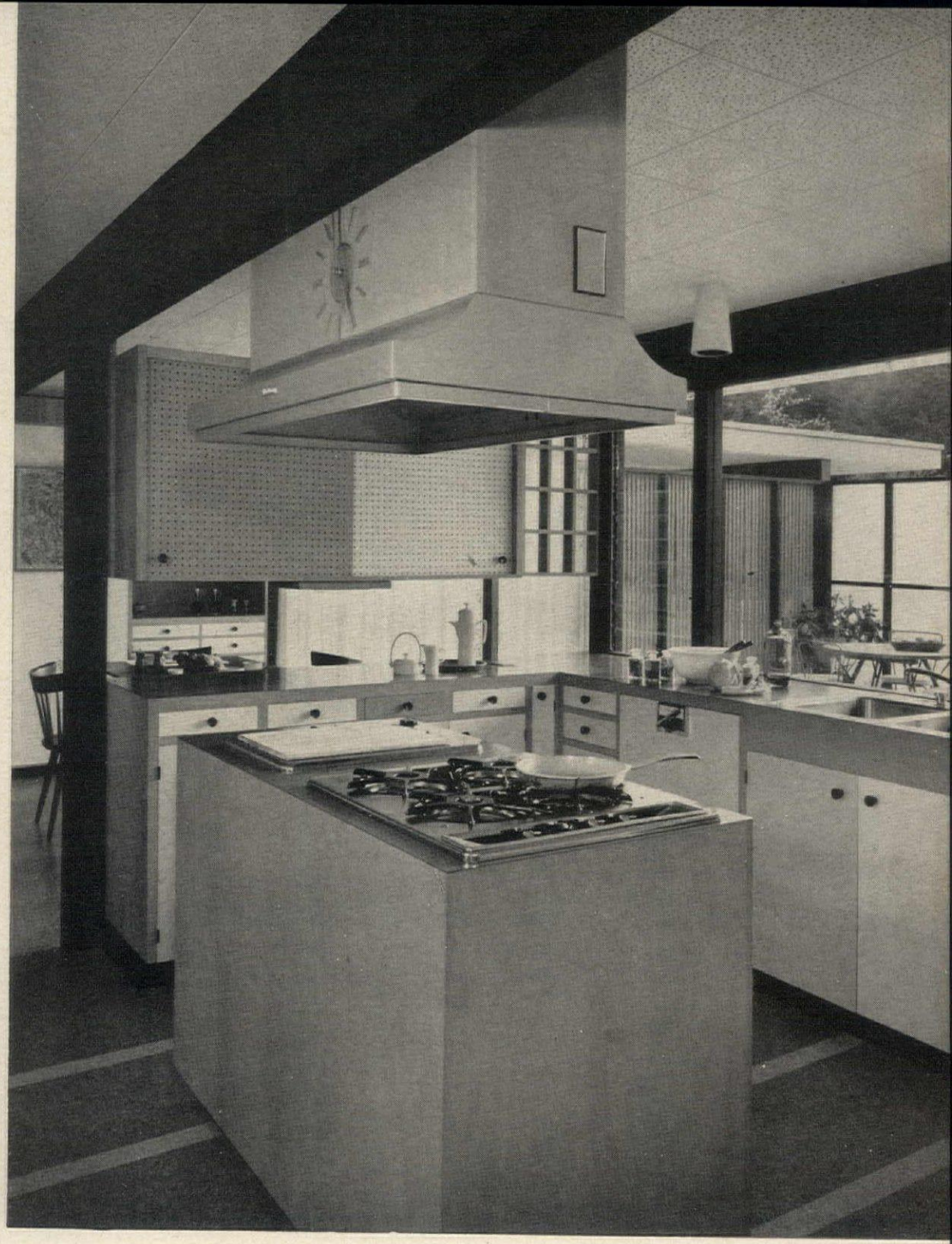
The living room and the family room, separated only by the two-way, hooded fireplace, both open wide to the terrace which more than doubles their size in fine weather. As in many of today's new houses, family room doubles as a dining area for family meals and is at the same time an extension of the kitchen. This house also demonstrates the careful attention which is given in today's houses to effective lighting, indoors and outdoors. Spotlights in the ceiling illuminate work areas. Wall fixtures provide varied light in the living room and keep the floor clear of trailing cords. Outdoors, the spotlights located in the deep overhang of the roof light the terrace and prevent the windows from becoming a black wall at night.

DEARBORN-MASSAR



Dining area of living room is separated from kitchen by hanging cabinets and counter with pass-through between.







Kitchen cooking center is extremely compact but it seems spacious because of the wall-to-wall window overlooking the dining court and the pass-through between countertop and hanging cabinets on the side toward the dining room. An island cooking counter, so often found in today's new houses, contains built-in surface burners and a barbecue with storage cabinets below. Oven and refrigerator are built into the wall on other side of room opposite pass-through cabinets. On far wall of dining area is a built-in buffet with specialized storage for linens, silver.

The family room storage wall contains TV, as most family rooms do today, plus another mark of the up-to-date house—built-in stereo equipment. The two speakers are housed in compartments that flank the bookshelves over the built-in desk. Thus this family room is equipped not only for informal dining but also for music, games and study. Though there are no fussy furnishings and the floor and wall materials are easy to care for, this area as well as the kitchen is gay with color. Each cabinet door and drawer front is in a different color and framed in some cases with natural wood. Ceiling of acoustical tiles muffles both the kitchen clatter and the noise of romping youngsters. Concealed lighting is built in above the long 7 foot desk top.

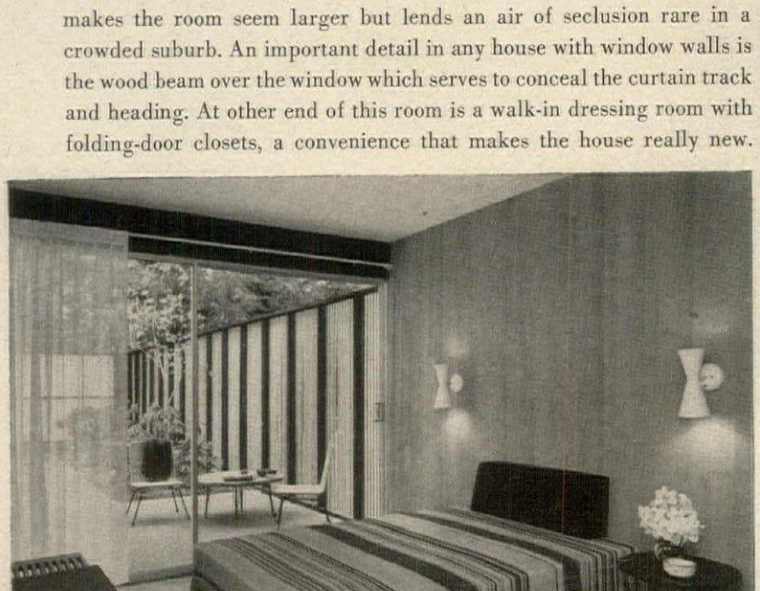
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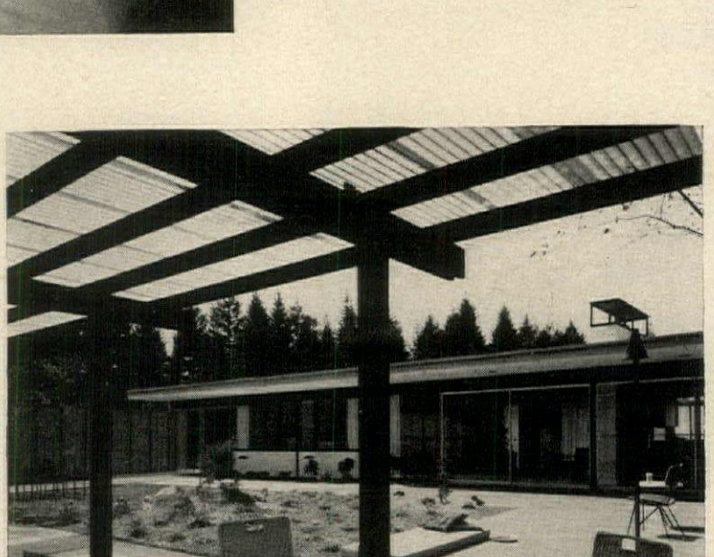
All the rooms are expanded by the individual outdoor living areas that make up the rear courtyard

The living room is enhanced by a paved terrace which is partly sheltered by the deep overhang of the roof. During fine weather big parties can overflow to the terrace, but rain or shine, the room appears to be double its size because nothing stops your eye until it reaches the cabana and fence at the far end of the courtyard. This is the modern strategy for making today's small house seem less confined by its four walls.

The parents' bedroom opens to a walled garden, *below,* which not only makes the room seem larger but lends an air of seclusion rare in a crowded suburb. An important detail in any house with window walls is the wood beam over the window which serves to conceal the curtain track and heading. At other end of this room is a walk-in dressing room with folding-door closets, a convenience that makes the house really new.

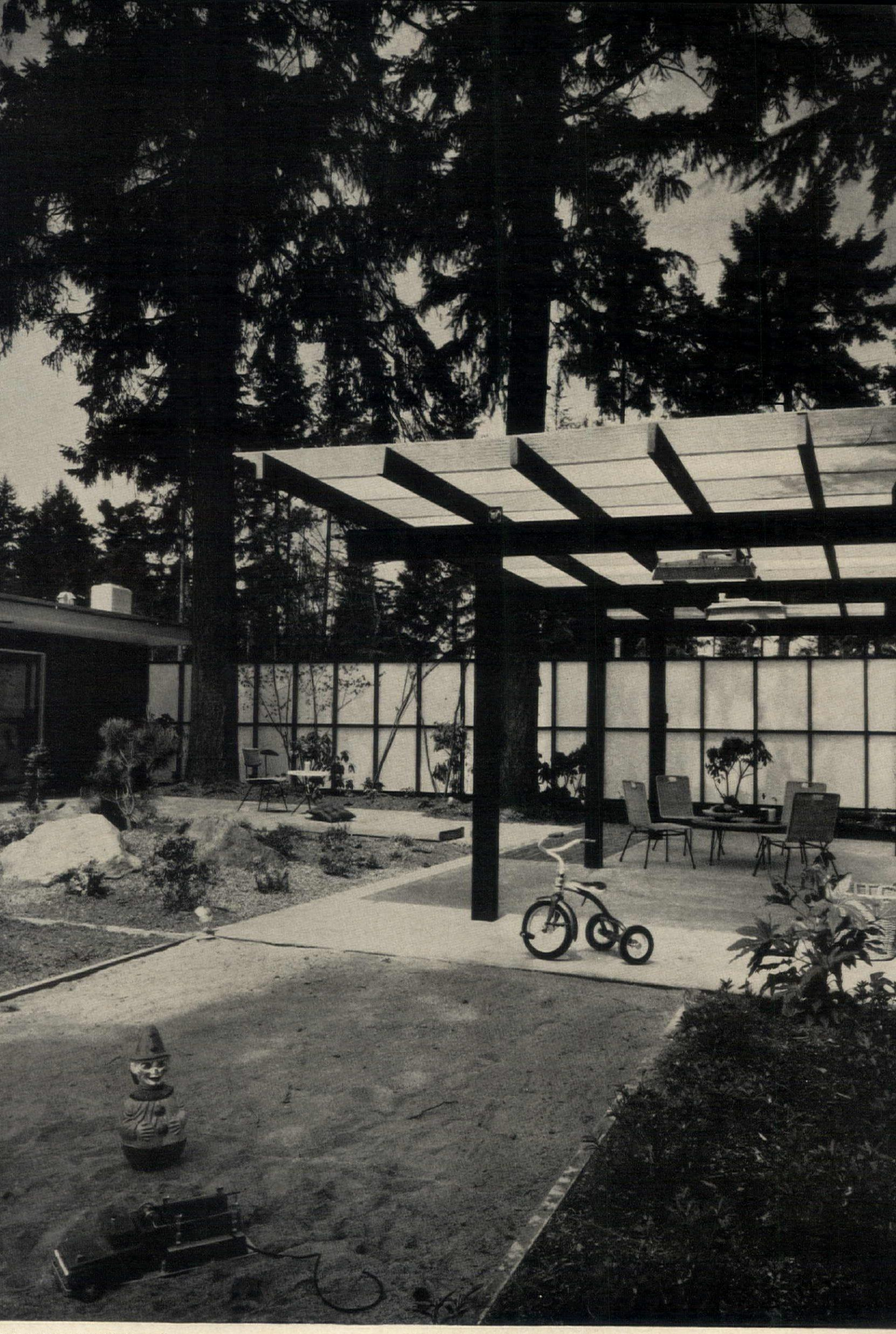


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The cabana adds a third living room to the two inside the house. This graceful structure was simply built by laying a translucent roof of corrugated reinforced plastic panels over a post-and-beam framework.

Tall fences screen the entire courtyard on three sides. Privacy from the street is provided by the house itself which extends across the full width of the lot. Some of the fences are plastic panels, some are thin wood slats. Together they account for the modern suburban miracle of a house with glass walls and privacy, too. An important part of the charm of this rear courtyard (where the builder was careful to leave two handsome spruces) is its division into paved and planted areas, all easy to care for, which are marked off by wood divider strips laid in the ground.



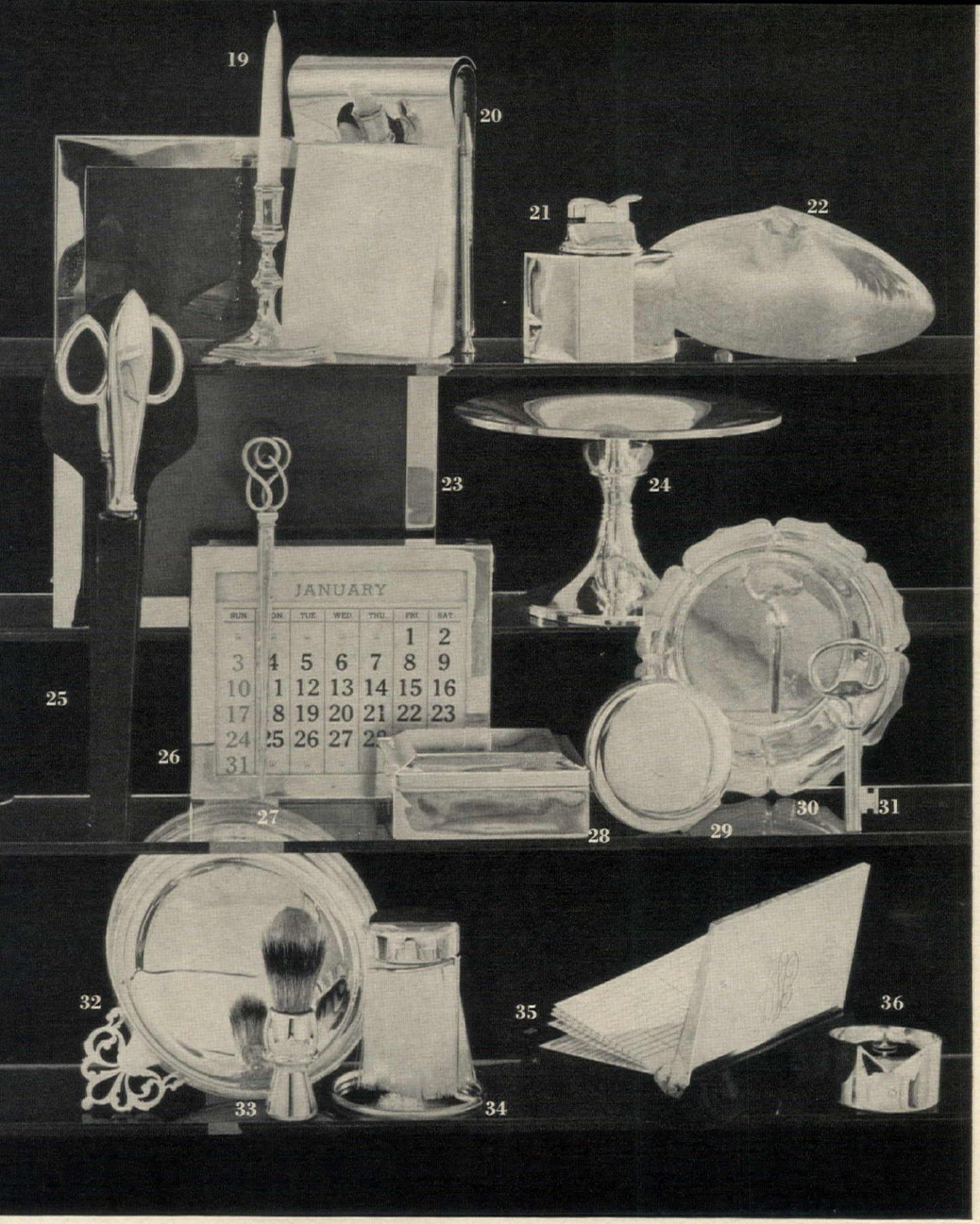
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TOM YEE



A TREASURY OF STERLING SILVER GIFTS UNDER 30

Lifetime gifts of sterling silver, invariably welcome on any memorable occasion, are particularly valued at Christmas. For the very special people on your list: **1** Chippendale-style pipkin with wood handle on a 4½″ diam. tray. $25. Cartier, Inc. **2** Combination salt shaker and pepper mill in sterling and mahogany. 7″ high. $26. Cartier. **3** Bowl in a classic Paul Revere shape with decorative blue or turquoise enamel interior. 5″ diam. $27.50. Towle Silversmiths. **4** Candle snuffer with blue or turquoise enamel lining in Lafayette pattern. 7⅜″. $9.50. Towle. **5** Julep cup for cold drinks or to hold flowers, pencils. 3¾″ high. $16.50. International Silver Co. **6** Flute-shaped double jigger with 1 and 2 ounce capacities. 5″ high. $12. Towle. **7** Tea bell with slender wood handle. 10″ high. $18.50. Cartier. **8** Mayonnaise bowl and matching ladle in a classic Early American design. 4½″ diam. $20. Lunt Silversmiths. **9** Pair of reversible candlestick-bud vases. 7½″ high. $27.50, the pair. International. **10** Black Formica tray with sterling gallery. 11¾″ diam. $27.50. Towle. **11** Queen Anne tea strainer and slop bowl, reproductions of a set by Matthew Lofthouse of London, 1713. 3″ diam. $27.50. Robert Ensko. **12** Sterling silver lemon squeezer. 4½″ diam. $16.50. Black, Starr & Gorham. **13** Diminutive pitcher and 3-inch bowl in a contemporary design, a fine gift for a new baby. $27.50. Lunt. **14** Delicately shaped napkin holder, a concave band of silver. $7.50. Christofle Silver, Inc. **15** Baby cup in "Pointed Antique" pattern with a gilt lining. 2½″ high. $15.95. Reed & Barton. **16** "Fontana" pattern baby rattle. 4¾″. $5.50. Towle. **17** Sugar shaker or muffineer, can be dispenser for baby talc, too. 4½″ high. $20. Wallace Silversmiths. **18** Child-sized military brush and comb set.



$6.75. Lunt. **19** Tiny taperstick, a reproduction of a diamond-patterned Queen Anne design dated 1705. 3½" tall. $29. Robert Ensko. **20** Memo pad with a magnetic mechanical pencil, a welcome gift for office or home telephone table. Pad 6" by 3¾". $10. Cartier. **21** Hexagonal table lighter. 2" across. $19.50. Black, Starr & Gorham. **22** Clamshell ashtray with satin finish. 6" long. $12.50. Wallace. **23** Picture frame with a flat, plain border to hold photographs up to 8" by 10". $24. Towle. **24** Compote in a simple contemporary design. 4½" high; plate 7" diam. $27.50. International Silver. **25** Library set of scissors and a letter opener cased in genuine green or maroon leather. 11" long. $22. Black, Starr & Gorham. **26** Calendar frame with an easel prop at back. 5¼" by 6½". $20. Reed & Barton. **27** Letter opener in "Enroulement" pattern, a graceful openwork scroll design. 7" long. $23. Christofle. **28** Table top cigarette box with cove-edged top. 4" by 3¼" by 1½". $29.50. The Gorham Company. **29** Trinket box lined in dark blue velvet, safekeeping for a lady's watch or rings. 3" diam. 1" deep. $14.50. Cartier. **30** Bonbon dish with fluted and scalloped edge, reproduction of an old Dublin design. 6" diam. $12.50. Lunt. **31** Bottle opener and corkscrew combined in a key-shaped bar tool. 3¾" long. $6. Black, Starr & Gorham. **32** Child's porringer or grown-up's ashtray. 6" diam. $20. Lunt. **33** Shaving brush with badger and Belgian hare bristles. 4½" long. $14. Cartier. **34** "Whisk-ette" sterling-topped clothesbrush with nylon bristles on stand. 3¾" high. $4.50. Gorham. **35** Telephone number register with an automatic key press index. 6⅜" by 4¾". $16.50 plus monogramming. Gorham. **36** Stud box in a wing collar design with a lift-off top. 2" diam. $22. Cartier.

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Remodeling with fabrics

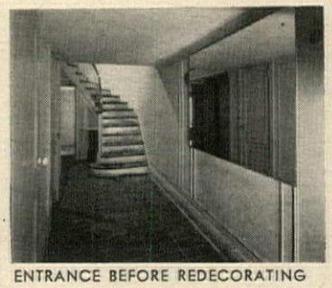
How to bring an old house up-to-date with color and pattern



It's a rare family and a still rarer house that find each other perfect on first meeting. But when you move into an old house, an extensive remodeling job is not always feasible. Perhaps you have a large family of teen-agers living at home now but you are planning to buy a smaller house when the children are off on their own. Or perhaps you are renting a house because you expect that a business transfer may move your family to another city in a year or two. The house on this and the following seven pages delightfully illustrates what can be done to make an old house compatible with today's tastes and patterns of living without moving a single wall or boarding up one door. Typical of so many older, larger houses across the land, this one had numerous advantages that made it potentially a nice place to live—high ceilings, spacious rooms, handsome woodwork and numerous fireplaces. Just as typical and far more challenging were its faults—odd-shaped and poorly spaced windows and doors, walls cut up by moldings, and a profusion of projecting radiators and air conditioners—none of which could be altered or removed. To demonstrate the possibilities of the house, designers John and Earline Brice took up the challenge. They proceeded to erase the eyesores from view and to give the old house a brand new look solely by their imaginative use of fabrics. Their strategy ranged from traditional window treatments, beautifully executed, to inventive applications of fabrics to screens and paneled walls. They applied color in original ways, too: in a bright print to set a festive mood; in a family of colors to unify windows, walls and paneling; in a monochromatic scheme to accent the formal character of one room; in coordinated schemes to tie adjoining rooms together. All the fabrics they chose were woven of Celanese Contemporary Fibers. The stimulating results offer many ideas you can adapt to any room whether it is marred by awkward details or is simply in need of refreshment.

Brocade enriches the walls

PANELS OF FABRIC were applied to the wall and door surfaces framed by moldings in the entrance hall, thus turning what might have been a problem into a decorative asset. As a result the hall looks fully and handsomely furnished though it is only wide enough for a slim console table and a pair of benches. Curtains of the same beige brocade frame the gracefully curving, red-carpeted staircase to which your eye is inevitably drawn by the bold runner of neutral stripes that leads the way from the front door to the warm welcome of the rooms beyond.



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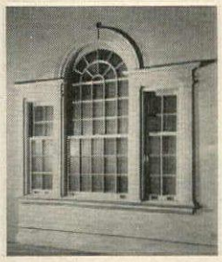
FABRICS BY THE GEORGIA COMPANY: ALL RUGS IN HOUSE BY CABIN CRAFTS



Flattery for problem windows



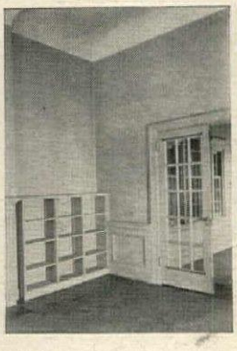
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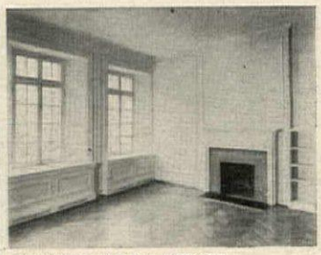


MAIN FOYER BEFORE

THE SAME PRINTED FABRIC was used on the walls and for side curtains in the foyer to provide a dramatic frame for the bonnet-topped window and to introduce the subtle lavender and green color scheme of the adjoining drawing room (see *below* and *opposite page*). The designers curtained the window itself with four panels of Fortisan ninon to conceal a total lack of view. Rather than waste the generous space in the foyer, they furnished it as a conversation area which would make a welcome adjunct to the drawing room during large parties.

FABRICS BY SCHUMACHER





DRAWING ROOM BEFORE



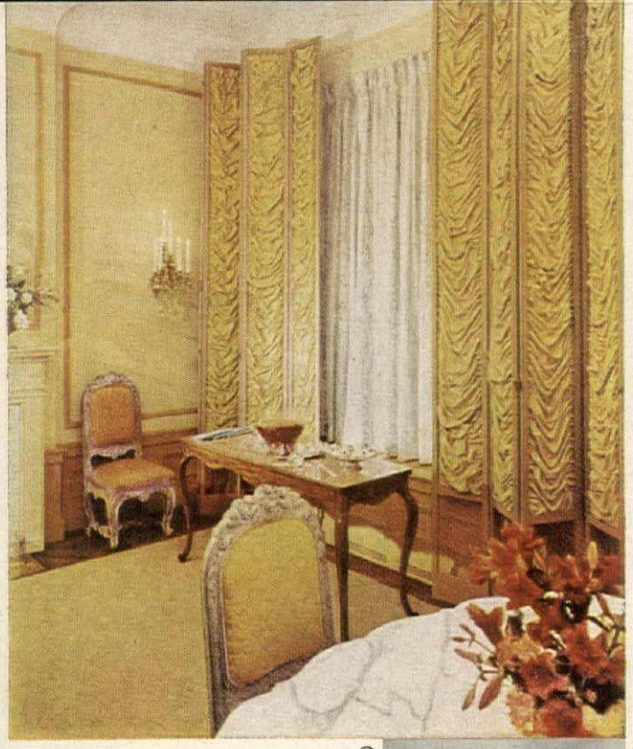
SHEER FLOWERED CURTAINS framed with full swags of damask (reversing the conventional arrangement of plain curtains framed with a print) dramatize the row of windows in the drawing room. Sill-length white cascades at the sides of the windows are lined with bitter green and hung so that triangles of the colors are silhouetted against the white. With this lavish background the designers kept the furniture simple and dignified, covering the sofas and chairs in colors drawn from the curtains and the rug. In one corner of the room, *left*, a bookcase, formerly as high as the mantel, was cut down to follow the line of the paneled dado. A pair of stereo speakers was set into the shelf space and screened with a slubbed silk and acetate fabric to match the upholstery on a nearby chair.

FURNITURE BY TOMLINSON; FABRICS BY COHAMA

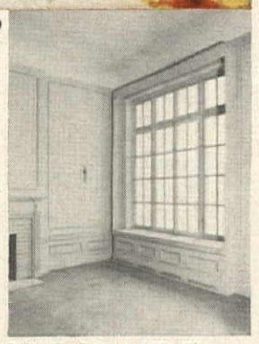
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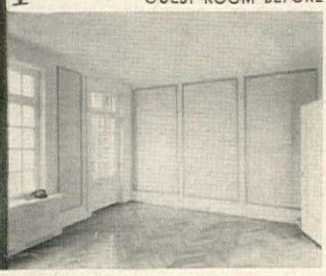


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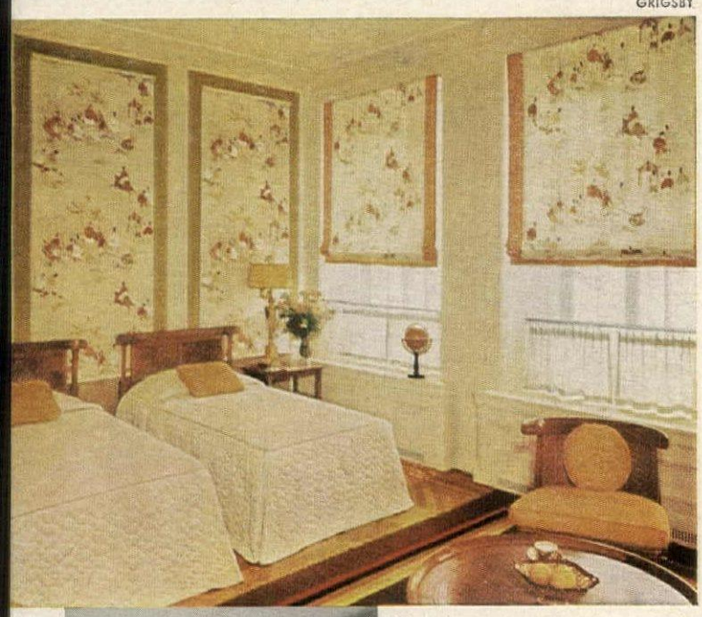


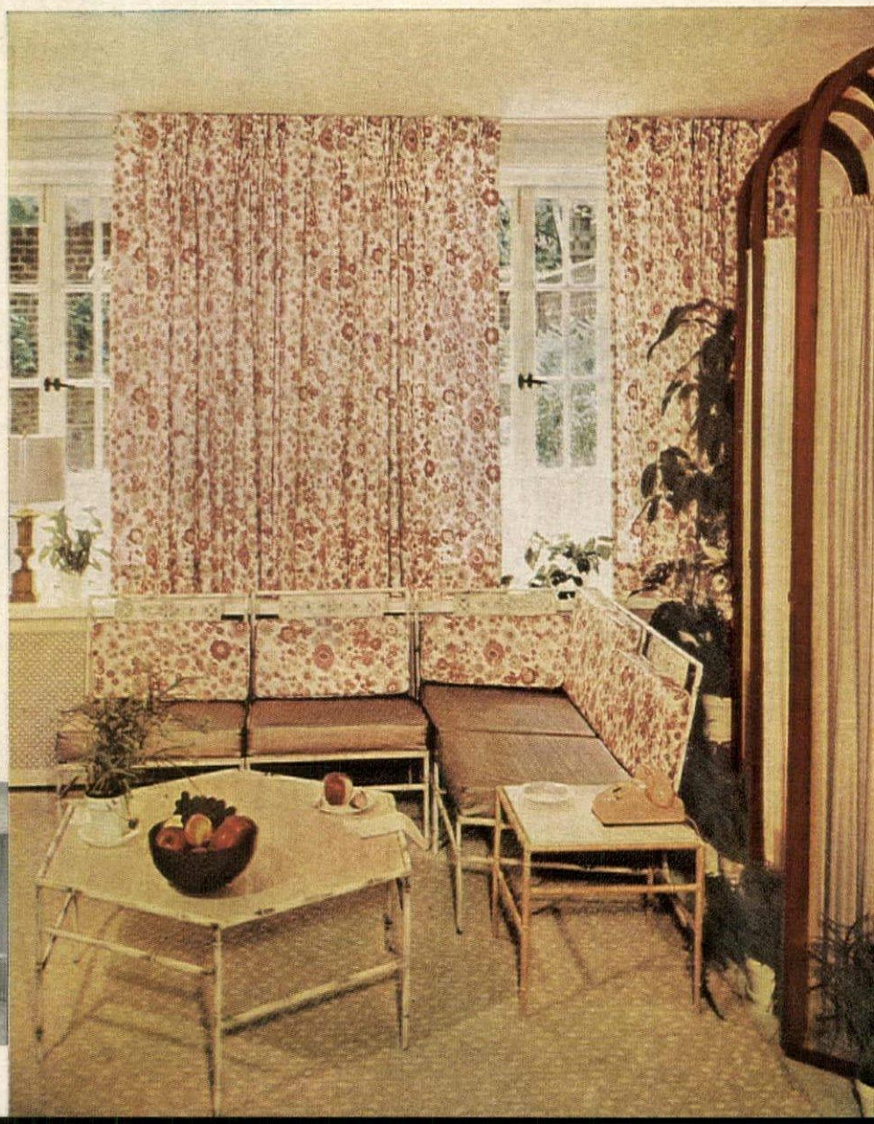
DINING ROOM BEFORE

1 GUEST ROOM BEFORE



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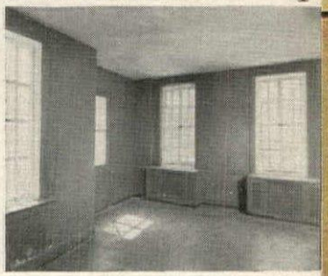




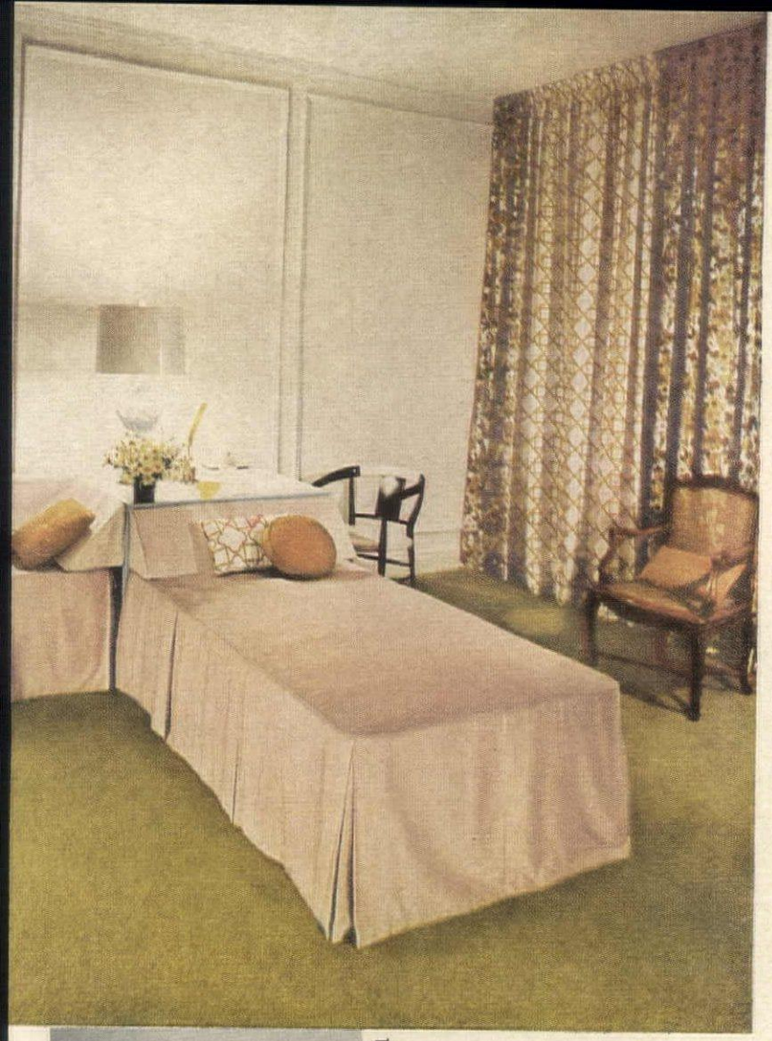
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MASTER BEDROOM BEFORE

TERRACE ROOM BEFORE 4



Imaginative treatments for beds and window walls



1 A FABRIC HEADBOARD of Baroque damask for the guest-room bed is mounted on the center section of a three-panel wall. Framed with sheer side curtains and a matching damask canopy, the bold pattern seems to recede into the wall, creating the illusion of a shallow niche. At the windows and French door, the damask is repeated in three-quarter length curtains with harlequin headings which, like the hems of the canopy and coverlet, are neatly trimmed to the diamond motif of the fabric.

FURNITURE BY HERITAGE, FABRICS BY RIVERDALE

2 SHIRRED FABRIC SCREENS and simple sill-length curtains join forces to camouflage an air conditioner in the dining room. The screen consists of delicate wood frames and panels of moiré gathered and draped like Austrian shades. Curtains of sheer flower-printed Fortisan and silk, hung close to the glass, cover the window when the screens are folded back.

FABRICS BY STROHEIM & ROMANN

3 WALL PANELS AND ROMAN SHADES of a contemporary toile with Japanese figures launch a bold color scheme in a masculine bedroom. The fabric is applied to the walls behind the beds in the fashion of oriental scrolls, with wood dowels inserted through hems at top and bottom of each panel. The designers used the same fabric for Roman shades at the windows. They banded the shades with orange borders and framed the wall panels with olive green paint to accent the major colors in the print.

FURNITURE BY TOMLINSON; FABRICS BY CHARLES BLOOM

4 CEILING-TO-FLOOR CURTAINS in a pert print of red and pink flowers cover the many-paned windows of the garden room and insure a sunny climate for informal entertaining even on the dreariest day. The same print was used for the back cushions of a sectional settee, and the seats were covered in a warm beige picked from the background of the floral. A doorway to the cellar at the right of the settee is concealed by open frame screens with panels of tussah-like cloth. The Moorish arched tops add an illusion of height.

FURNITURE BY SALTERINI; FABRICS BY SENECA

5 TWO RELATED PRINTS, a lattice pattern and a floral, are used side-by-side at the windows to create the one big decorative effect in the simply furnished study-guest room. The two fabrics, alike in color and in scale, are hung so that the darker panels cover wall areas and the predominantly white sheer covers the three windows. Tangerine cushions accent deepest color in curtains.

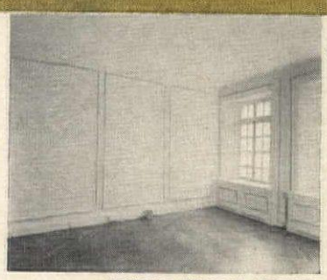
FURNITURE BY HERITAGE; FABRICS BY WAVERLY

6 A CURTAINED BACKDROP FOR A BED plus a canopy-style swag transform the convex side of a curved stairwell into a regal niche-in-reverse. The designers devised this spectacular treatment with ceiling-to-floor panels of Fortisan and silk in white, aqua and turquoise and a single festoon hung on a framework of brass standards. The fitted aqua coverlet matches the backdrop and the upholstered headboard repeats the floral print of the curtains on the other side of the room (see page 228).

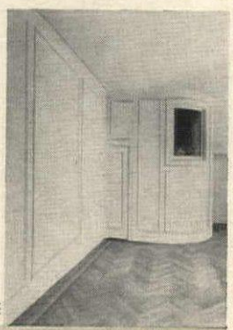
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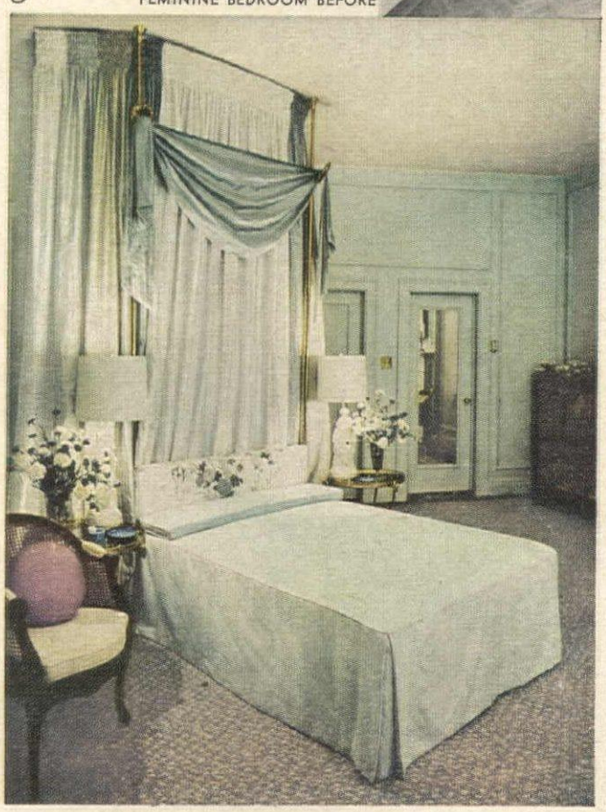


STUDY-BEDROOM BEFORE



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FEMININE BEDROOM BEFORE



Gay camouflage for informal rooms

TRANSLUCENT PAPER lines the panes of a row of china cabinets, dispelling the gloomy atmosphere of a poorly lit pantry with a mosaic of shimmering color. An undersized window is curtained with a geometric print of airy rayon and acetate. Hung across both window and surrounding wall area, this sheer weave diffuses the light and blurs the edges of the window to make it seem larger than its actual size. Seats of ice-cream parlor stools are covered in colors to match block-patterned rug.

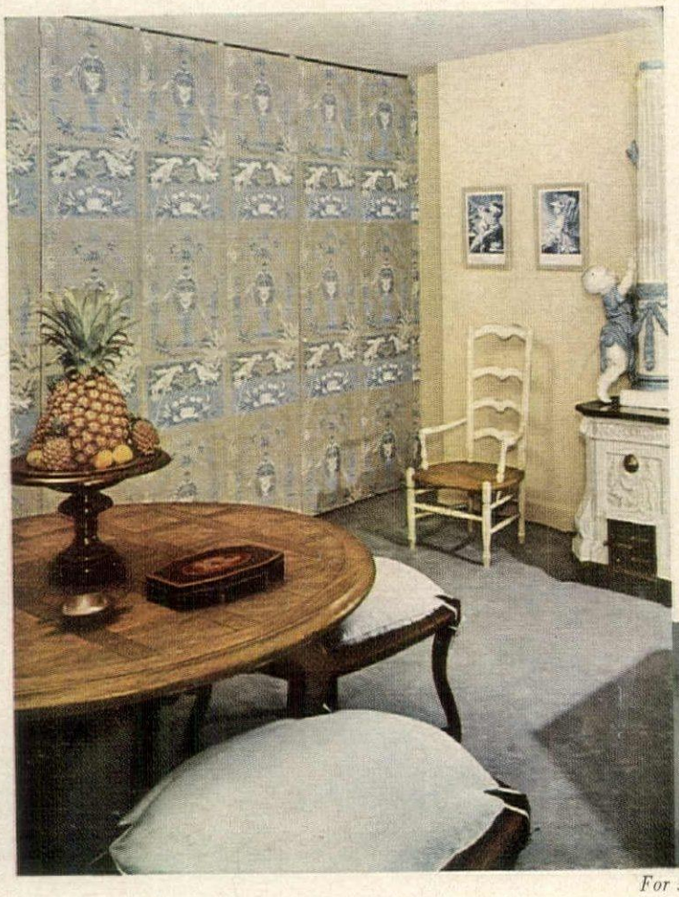
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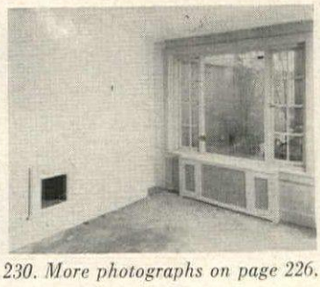


A WALL OF FABRIC-COVERED SCREENS, left, provides lavish camouflage for a row of unmatched doors and a pass-through counter in the breakfast room. The designers have tailored the screens to the pattern width of a freely drawn, French Provincial inspired fabric. Panels fold back for easy access to a coat closet, storage, a TV screen and an inside window to the kitchen. Window on the opposite wall, *opposite page,* is curtained softly in a sheer white fabric that falls to the top of the projecting radiator cover. Overcurtains and a shaped cornice that matches the dimensions of the radiator cabinet build the window frame out from the wall, minimizing the projection below.

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BREAKFAST ROOM BEFORE





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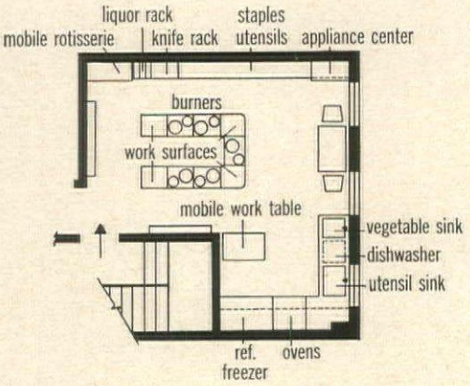
The kitchen with the buffet island

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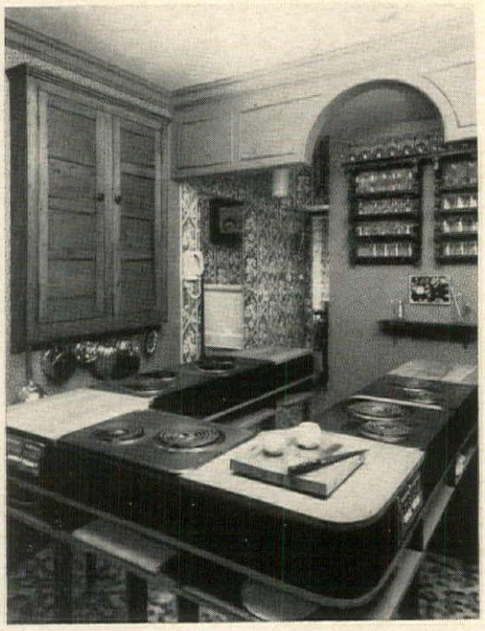
Walk into the kitchen of a cooking authority and you will spot a host of ideas, large and small, that add up to efficiency with atmosphere—ideas you can readily adapt to your own kitchen. When James A. Beard, aided by Agnes Crowther, remodeled an existing dining room, a minimum kitchen (5 feet 11 inches by 8 feet 5 inches) and two closets into a workable, livable kitchen, he had many special requirements. For, in addition to being a cook book author and superlative host, Mr. Beard also conducts cooking classes and demonstrations on his home grounds and he needed a room which would be the center of his manifold activities. But the decoration of his new headquarters and a condensed version of the convertible cooking counter-buffet he designed for it would be just as pertinent in a one-cook kitchen. *(Continued on page 222)*



Cooking island becomes spacious serving center and bar when three-section Formica top is in position. On wall covered with green paper in a documentary pattern, racks and antique Swiss shelves for wine, liquor, glassware are both decorative and space-saving. Black-and-white pineapple paper sets off wall with marble work counter where hanging pans, jars of staples, spoons in earthenware crock are mustered at point of use. Slotted wood knife block and rolling electric rotisserie are to left of the counter.



Hub of plan is central cooking island that stretches space because counter and cooking surfaces can be used from inside and outside the U.



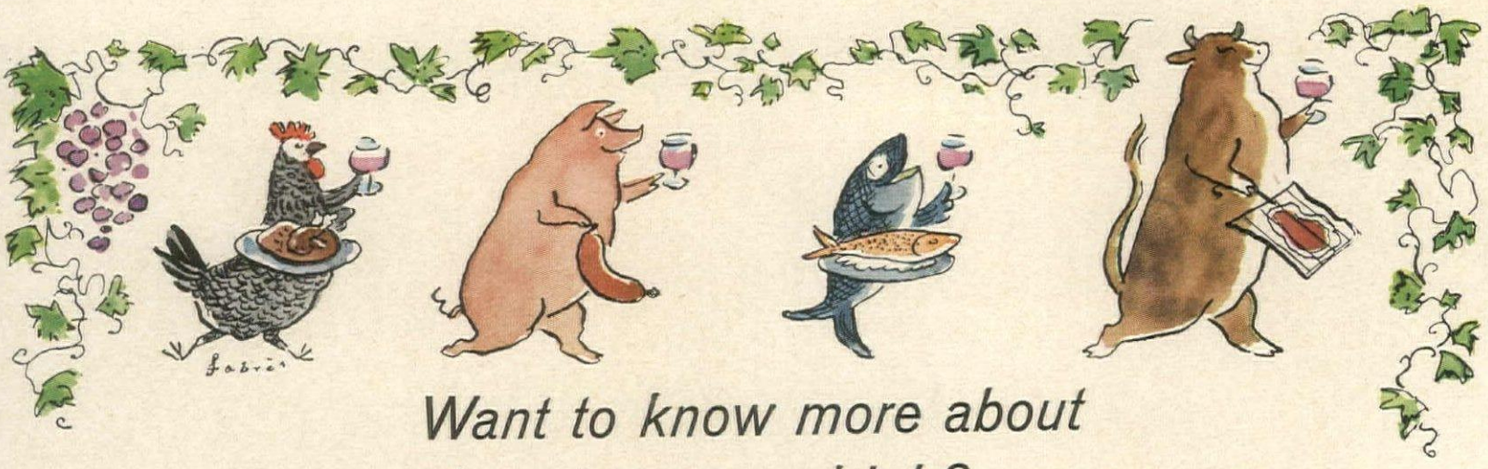
Chopping-block corners and ten General Electric cooking units equip the island for large-scale food preparation. Antique pine cabinet on wall holds packaged goods, seasonings. Doorway beyond leads to entry and living-dining room.

A changeable still life composed with seasonal fruits and vegetables in the copper lavabo between the windows is enhanced by antique carvings and shelf. Victorian wrought-iron and marble table and old French folding outdoor chairs are handy for quick meals. Here the arms of the U-shaped island are covered with buffet tops; the end is open, exposing two units for cooking.

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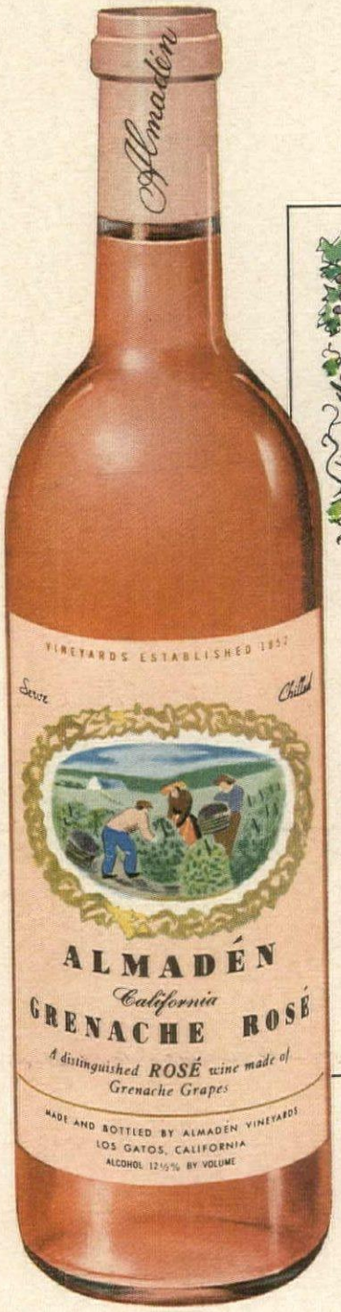
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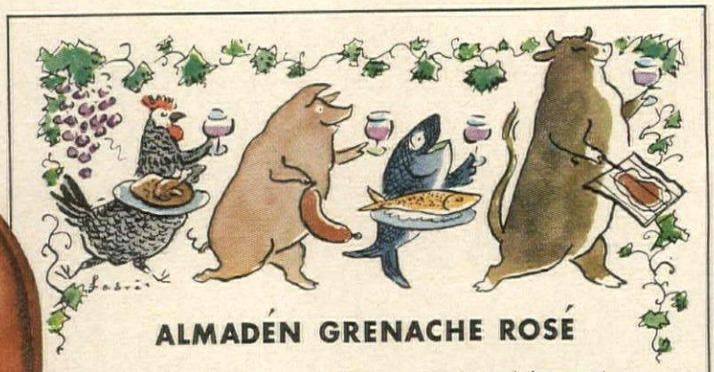
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SPIRITS AT A BUFFET PARTY

BY JAMES A. BEARD

The buffet party would always win a blue ribbon as the simplest, safest and surest way to entertain—if it weren't for a few pitfalls. We have invented this delightful serve-yourself sort of dinner to suit our present-day penchant for living and dining informally, and when it is good, it is very, very good.

The buffet eliminates the meticulously laid table that must be cleared after each course; it requires no protracted passing of serving dishes; it does not call for several outstanding wines, each with its own type of glass.

So the buffet party can be a pleasant and gay affair that leaves host, hostess and guests relaxed and refreshed.

But what about those pitfalls?

Ironically, most of the hazards of the buffet party are an outcropping of its major asset—its casualness. Along with the buffet, we Americans have evolved the informal cocktail hour that introduces it. Usually the host has set up a well-stocked bar and expects each guest to help himself. This generous gesture can spell trouble. For many people take the attitude that the buffet, unlike the sit-down dinner, is a meal that can wait—sometimes indefinitely. Guests drift in anywhere from a half hour to an hour or so late. Meanwhile the early arrivers have been imbibing. Eventually people may decide to eat, but many are so well supplied with preprandial drinks that they have little appreciation of the food and wines that follow.

Recently I attended a Sunday brunch buffet scheduled to start at 1 P.M. At midnight, 11 hours later, some guests were still groggily supplying themselves from the bar and had not yet moved to the buffet table. Needless to say, the food by that time was inedible. Result: a completely exhausted host and hostess, and a number of guests destined to awake with sizable hangovers. This is casualness gone awry.

How to avoid it?

I believe the nineteenth-century host had the right idea. Always keeping the elegant dinner in mind, he offered arrivals a light, dry sherry or glass of champagne to whet the appetite. Both are perfect choices for the cocktail hour. Save the hard liquor for after-dinner drinks!

To keep taste buds intact

Champagne and sherry are light and refreshing, and even the guest who likes to help himself liberally will not go on drinking them for several hours. Another important point: These wines do not dull the taste buds and make the imbiber oblivious to the delicate flavors of the food and dinner wine to follow.

Let me urge you to set up a buffet cocktail bar for guests with a choice of good dry sherries. I would include Harvey's Bristol Dry, the light astringent Manzanilla, the famous Tio Pepe, and two or three other crisp sherries that your own wine dealer will be glad to recommend. Add a bucket or two filled with ice and a fine brut champagne. You might try a delicate blanc de blanc; or shop at your wine dealer's for a private label vintage. Then, too, many non-vintage champagnes are both delicious and reasonable.

No, the cost need not be prohibitive. When you compare the expense of allowing guests to drink freely of whiskies and other hard liquors for many hours to the price of a few bottles of good sherry and champagne, you will find, as I have, the aperitif wines cost less.

With the aperitifs serve good dry biscuits, nuts and perhaps strips of crisp raw vegetables.

By all means, plan your buffet dinner for a definite hour. If guests are slow to move towards the table, ask one or two close friends to start the crowd. With appetites invigorated by the aperitif wines, the group will be ready to eat and switch to the dinner wines you have provided.

Now, some suggestions concerning wines for buffet dinners. It's a mistake to offer the "greats" on such an occasion. Informal eating calls for informal wines. Yet I do not subscribe to the common belief that a nice *rosé* goes with everything and is just the right answer for a buffet dinner with an

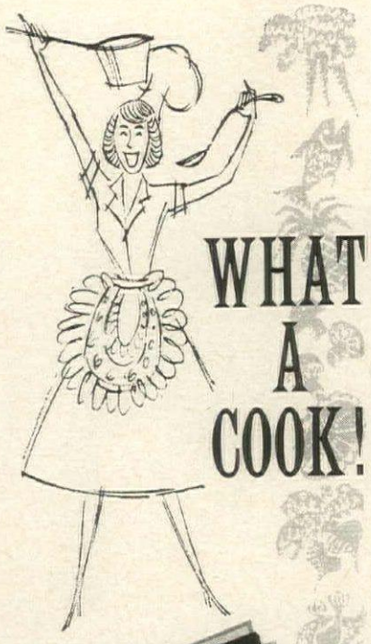
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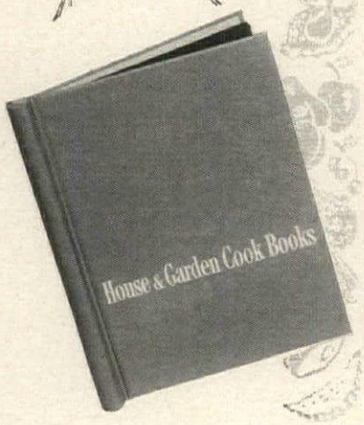
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assortment of foods. I agree that a good chilled *rosé* can be a delight on a hot summer afternoon or evening with a simple picnic lunch. But a well-planned buffet with a variety of foods calls for a more interesting array of wines.

Special buffet wines

I make a practice of keeping on hand a special selection of buffet supper wines. These wines are modest but gay and go well with the many cold and hot specialties that appear on the buffet table. They are good, solid country wines, not "great," but with enough character to make them excellent everyday companions.

A "must" in my selection is a supply of reds from the Beaujolais district of southern Burgundy. The Fleuries, Julienas, the Moulin à Vent are fruity, fresh wines friendly to many foods. Look for them in magnums—an economical choice for large groups. These wines should be drunk young; most are ready in a little over a year. If you serve them with a summer buffet, or a buffet featuring excellent cold dishes, chill them slightly.

Don't be afraid to serve these charming wines with rather elegant dishes. I remember well the first time I ever tasted a Beaujolais. I had gone to the great restaurant Pyramide at Vienne. The proprietor, M. Point, had a magnum of Beaujolais chilling and this he served me with an exquisite *oreiller* of venison—a perfect combination. The fresh coolness of the wine cut superbly the rich texture of the venison.

From near Beaujolais comes an especially brisk white wine, Pouilly-Fuissé. This sharp, delicate wine is an excellent choice for buffet fish dishes.

For a cold buffet with fish, cold meats, charcuterie and salads I enjoy the Muscadets from the mouth of the Loire. These, too, come in magnums. The 1959 vintage, now on the market, is exceptional. Muscadet, drunk young and well chilled, is to my taste one of life's pleasantest experiences.

Another of my favorite wines for buffet dining is a good Valpolicella. These crisp Italian reds lend themselves to many foods. I especially enjoy the Valpolicella from the Cooperative in Verona. It's inexpensive, and well worth keeping on hand. For a good Italian white wine, choose a Soave, also from the Cooperative.

If by chance you plan a buffet around an exceptionally rich dish, such as game birds, offer your guests a robust red from the Rhône Valley. These wines have a heavier texture and rounder quality, well suited to this type of food; yet they are not too formal for casual buffet serving. Look for the Hermitage Rouge or the Châteauneuf-du-Pape.

California wines also offer excellent choices for buffet dining. I keep a stock of fine Pinot Noirs and Johannisberg Rieslings. They are always dependable.

If you serve an elaborate buffet that includes both hot and cold foods and both fish and meat, it's a good idea to let your guests have a choice of wines. Have the wines and glasses set up on a table adjoining the food, so that each person may select the wine he prefers with his choice of food.

And incidentally, may I suggest that you try to coax guests to eat their buffet dinner in courses. Nothing is more distressing to a food lover than the sight of a plate heaped helter-skelter with hot and cold, fish, fowl and meat, all piled together. No one could possibly detect the different flavors. The proper procedure is fish first; meat next; salads last. And never hot and cold on the same plate.

A word to the hostess: Have plenty of table space on which guests may put wine glasses and plates. You can not expect the poor souls to hold on to wine glasses and at the same time balance plates on their laps. Group your chairs around coffee tables, end tables, library tables and, if necessary, put up extra folding tables. When guests have lacked table-top space, I have seen sad things happen. At a recent party I attended, a guest who had been forced to place a sheer crystal glass on the floor was very embarrassed when it was shattered by someone walking by. The expensive glass was gone and the wine stained the rug. But no one was to blame but the hostess. Never put a guest in this fix.

Now for the hard liquor. Having been happily warmed by the fine food and wine, your guests will be pleased to settle down to coffee and a buffet bar offering cognac, Armagnac, white alcohols, whiskies, gin, vodka and soda. The well-fed will not over-indulge. The food and wine have been enjoyed and appreciated. The after-dinner drinking takes the place of a night-cap and puts the crowning glow on a pleasant experience.

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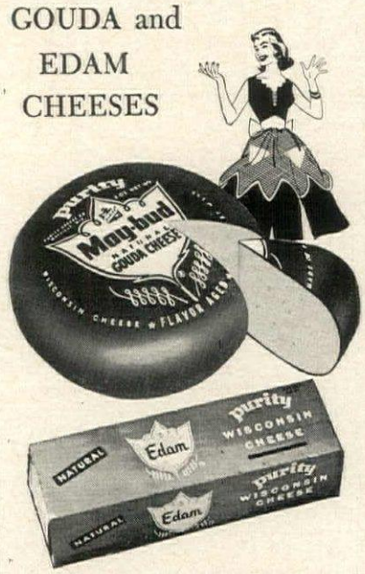


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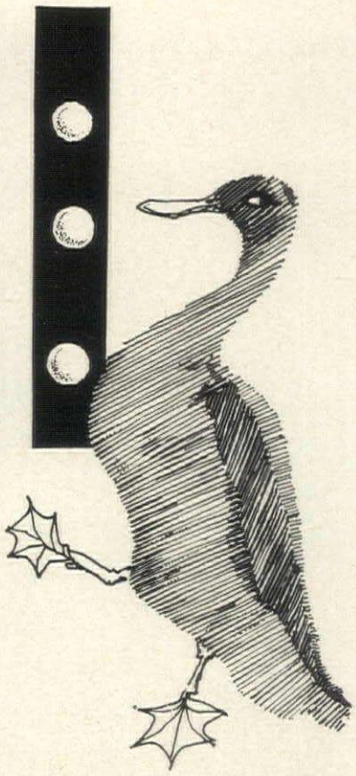
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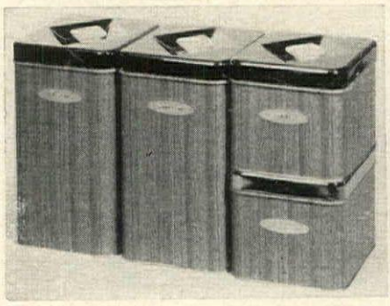
Glass apothecary jars look pretty on your kitchen counter and also give you a clear view of what's within. Besides storing the usual flour, sugar and tea, they are ideal for tall bread sticks, macaroni, dried vegetables and herbs. *From left:* a tall two-sectioned cylinder, $5.75; 16″ Columbia cylinder, $6.25; Egyptian jar, $2.50; square 11″ apothecary jar, $3; 3″ spice jar, set of four for $4. Bloomingdale's.





Geranium pattern in H&G's Tangerine Red adds a gay touch to set of sturdy metal canisters in gleaming white. Large knobs insure easy opening. From 4¾″ to 8″ tall, four for $8.95. Altman.

Wood grain finish in vinyl lends texture to these squared-off steel canisters with recessed knobs, chrome trim. Available in dark or medium walnut or dark birch finish. The set of four is $9.98. Hammacher-Schlemmer.





Transparent windows in these round steel canisters reveal a cook's-eye view of the quantity of flour or coffee on hand. Canisters come in a choice of yellow, red or white and range in size from 4¼″ to 8″ tall. Set, $5.95. Pampered Kitchens, Inc.



Lazy susan stand will spin this canister set to the ingredient you wish. Four labeled ceramic containers in a pearlized finish are 9″ tall, fit like wedges of a cake on the dark walnut base and share a single top; also in walnut. $19.95. Lord & Taylor.

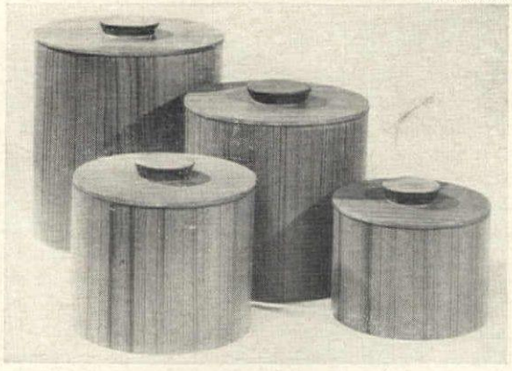


Classic Greek design for apothecary jars is reproduced in ceramic. In antique beige with gold and green trim, these 14″ and 12″ jars have scroll-bordered labels using Greek names for various herbs. 14″ size, $18; 12″ size, $13. Tomorrow's Heirlooms.



Blue and white Delft canisters are lovely for the traditional kitchen or pantry, flattering to wood tones. The sugar jar is 7″ high—just one of a set of four Delft canisters in varying sizes. The set is $35. B. Altman & Co.

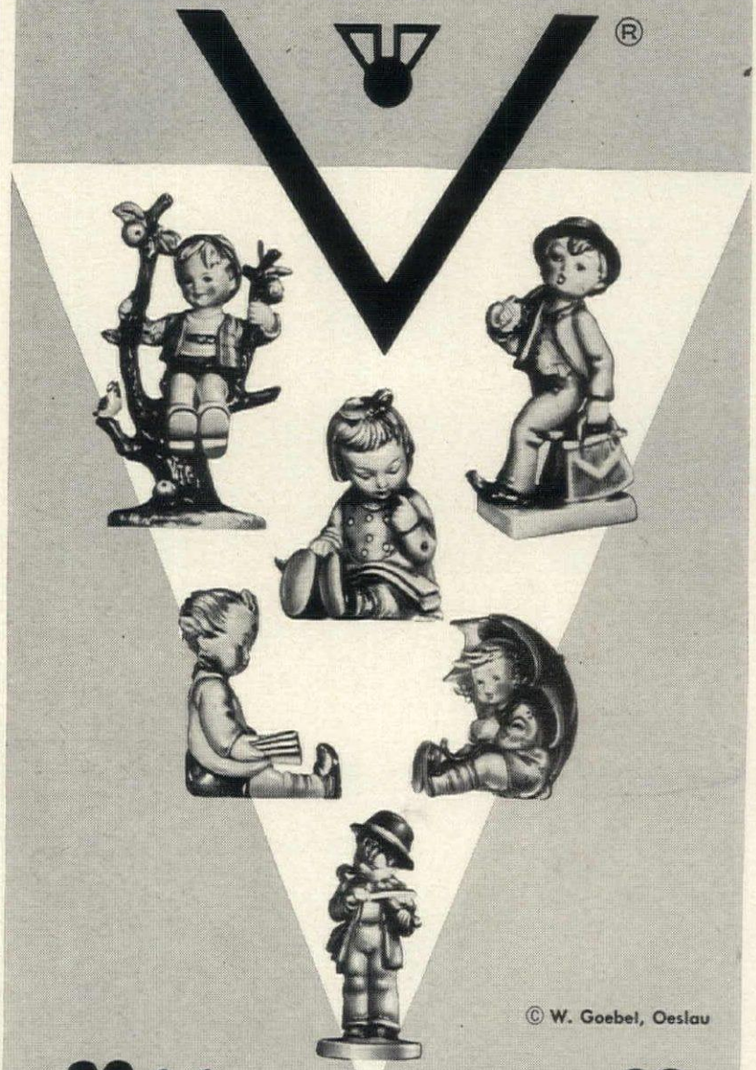
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Teakwood veneer lends a marked contemporary air to canisters which, because of their simplicity, are equally at home in a traditional kitchen. Heights range from 3½″ to 7″. Set, $12. Lord & Taylor.

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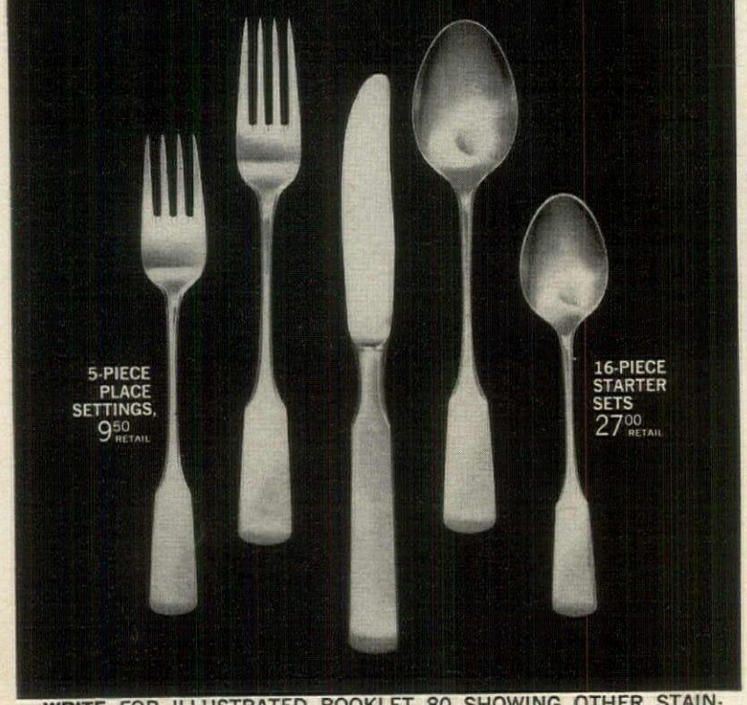
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Gaily painted mobile butcher's table with shelf for wax paper and hooks for tools adds work space to kitchen corner where refrigerator, wall oven are placed. Pans hang here. Sinks, dishwasher are at right angle to this wall.

GOURMET'S KITCHEN

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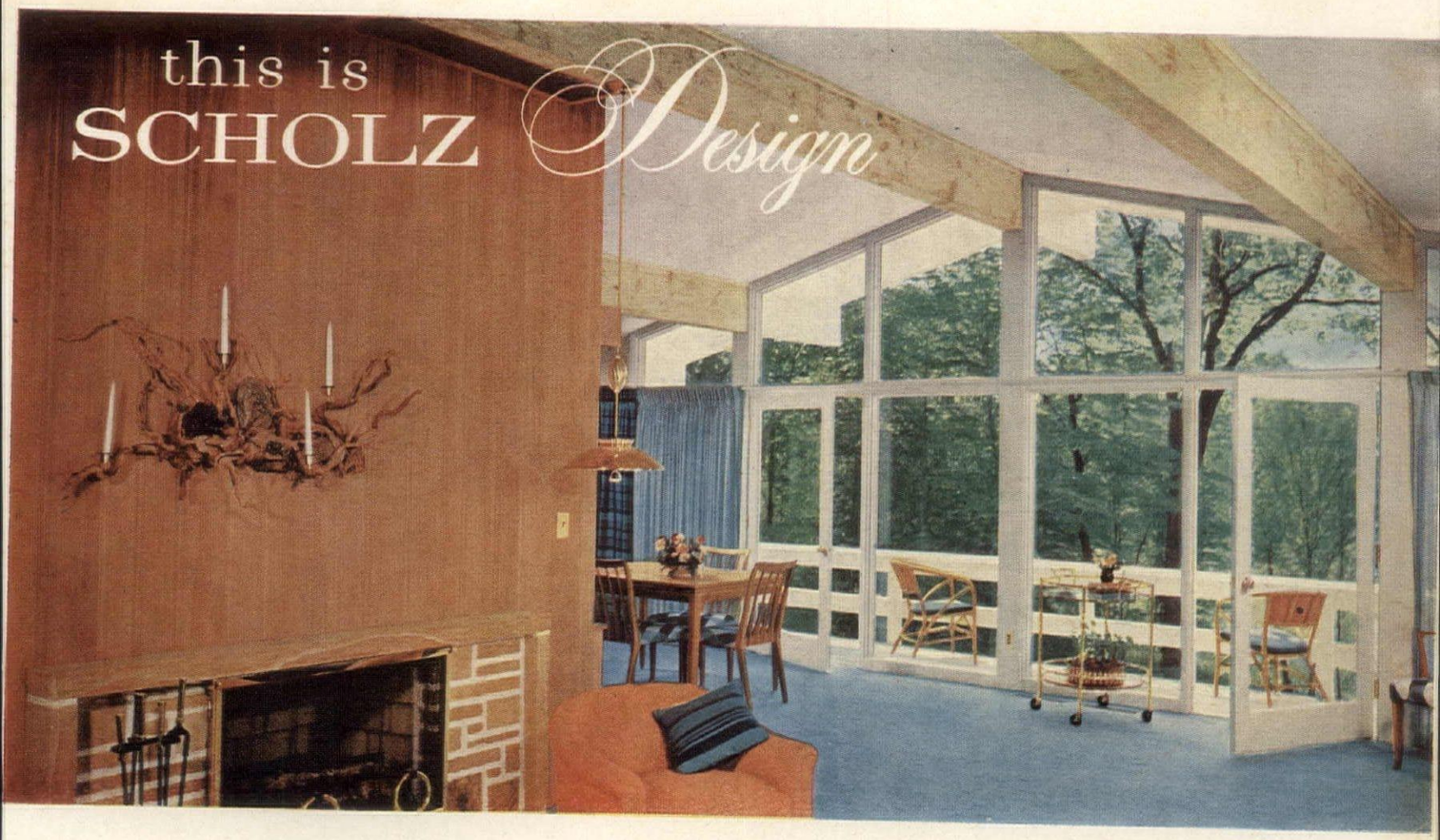
The key to Mr. Beard's new plan is a central U-shaped cooking and buffet island around which his cooking routine revolves. It has five pairs of electric surface cooking units, four chopping blocks and a continuous shelf underneath where bowls, tools and other necessities can be put while cooking is in progress. Slim legs support the island to leave floor space open and uncrowded. In order to convert the island into a serving center and bar for buffet dinners (see page 208) and large cocktail parties, a three-section top of Formica in H&G's Geranium Pink with a handsome rosewood edging was constructed to fit over the work surface (the three sections can be used together or independently to suit the needs of the moment).

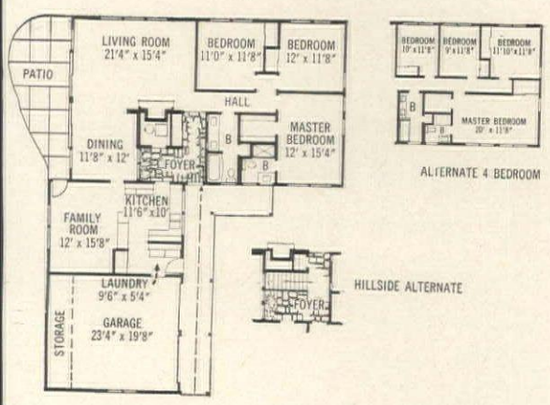
Since the kitchen, located at the head of the stairs from the first floor and joined to the living-dining room by a small entry, is one of the first rooms to come into the visitor's view, it was decorated and furnished with the same care, taste and feeling as the rest of the house. Three walls are papered with a small-scale documentary print in soft green, the fourth interjects a bolder note with a large-scale black-on-white pineapple motif. These papers set the color scheme of the room. Wood trim is painted a matching green; kitchen cabinets and major equipment are white or stainless steel and the linoleum floor covering combines a black-white-and-gray pebble pattern with strips of solid black. Sheer café curtains with herb motifs printed in red-on-white are a subtle reminder of the accent color of the red buffet countertop.

The kitchen is planned so that plenty of people can work together without crowding. In one corner (the original kitchen area) is the refrigerator, wall oven, dishwasher and two sinks—one deep enough for large pans—and a mobile butcher's table. On the opposite side of the room extra work space is provided by a long marble shelf over base storage cabinets for china and dishes; it is backed by hanging pans and paralleled by a narrow wall shelf where staples and spices are visibly arrayed in glass jars. To the right of the counter is the appliance center and to the left, a big wood block with slots where knives are stored blade down, racks for wines and liquors and an electric rotisserie on a rolling stand.

The obvious dedication of the room to the production of good food is also the source of much of its visual lure (guests tend to congregate and linger there, whatever the occasion). Pans and molds hang in clusters from hooks in the French manner. Wine and seasonings, wooden spoons and kitchen tools are arranged out in the open where they are easy to reach, displayed and lined up according to use. Small, subtle touches in the decoration and a careful integration of design elements help to sustain the kitchen's warm, lived-in look. Old wood cabinets and shelves, brackets and carvings are silhouetted against the walls. Rich rosewood trims the edges of counters and the side of the sink. The pineapple wallpaper is accented by a ceramic pineapple on a wall bracket. The antique copper lavabo joins the warm glow of copper pans and the wine bottles and glasses on the end wall are an introduction to the black-and-white vine-and-trellis wallpaper in the adjoining entry and living-dining room.

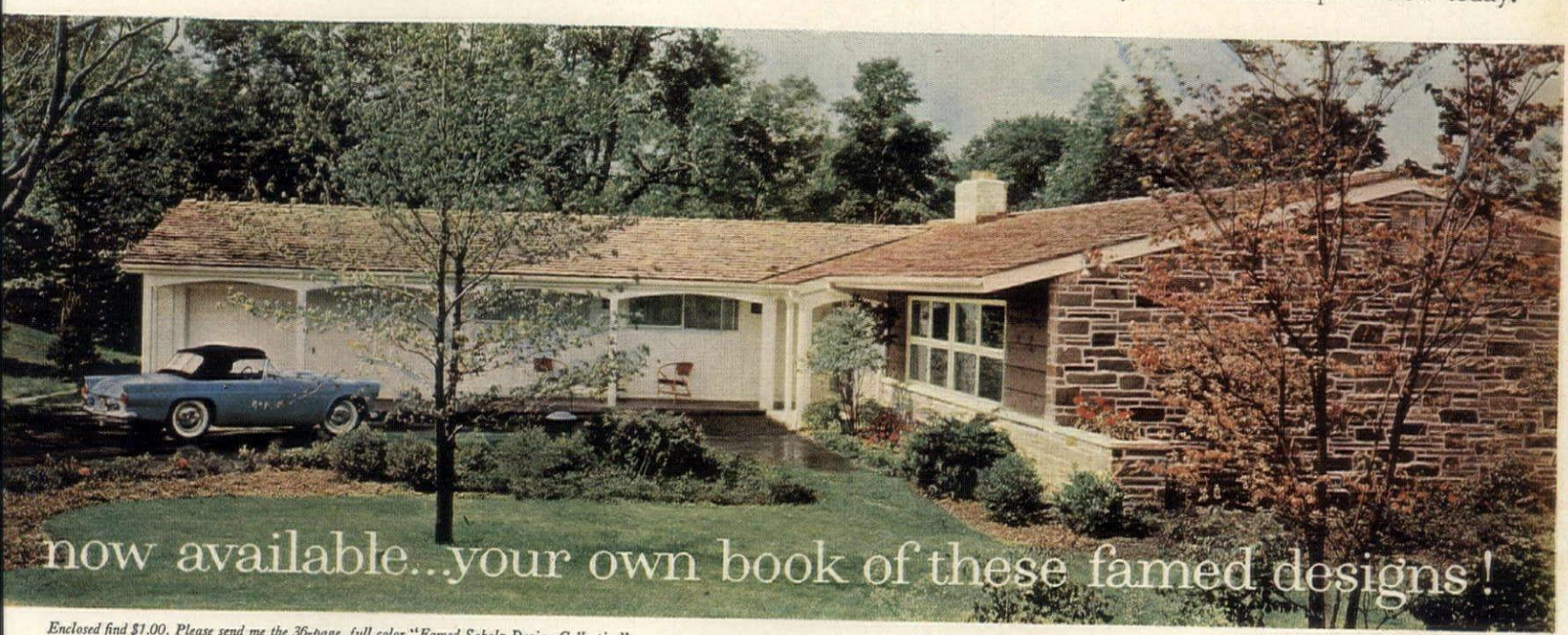
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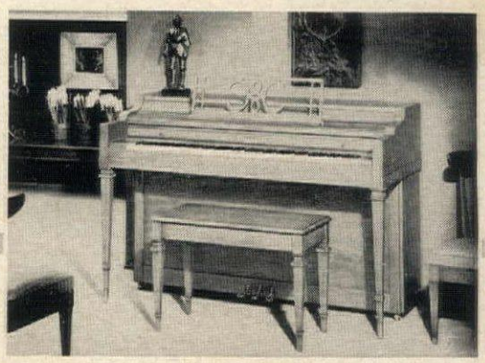
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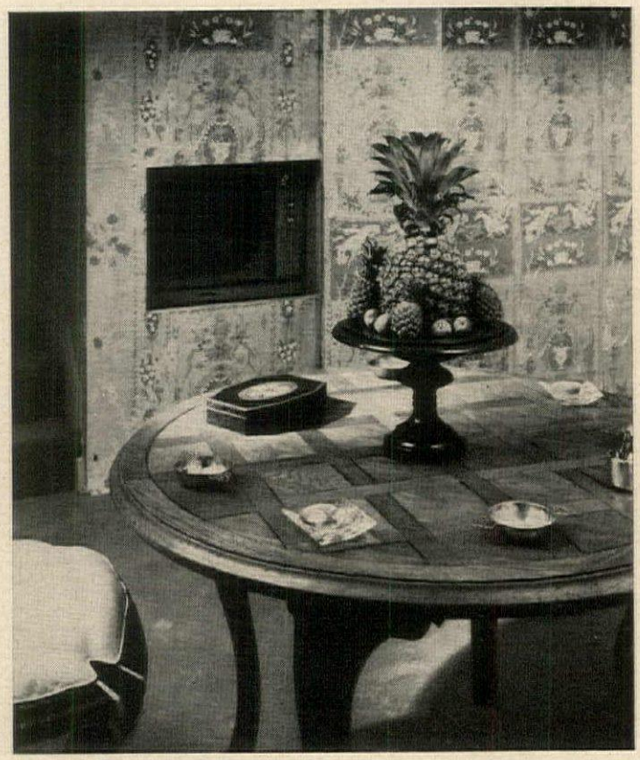
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A print and a rug were used to define special areas of two large rooms



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A CONVERSATION CORNER in the drawing room is set off from the main group of chairs and sofas by a bold area rug. Designers furnished this island of comfortable informality with self-contained arrangement of matched chairs, a round table with a floor-length cloth and three paintings. The area is further identified by color; a burnt orange that plays only minor roles elsewhere in room is used dramatically here with white and green.

The old house was brought up to date with new conveniences and dressed-up storage

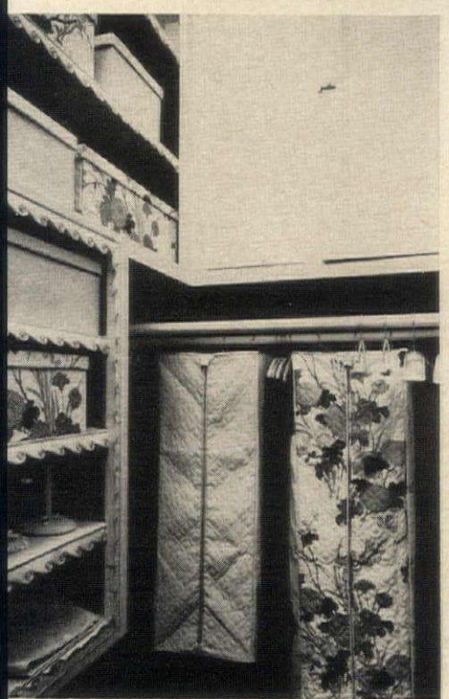


BUFFET COUNTER was fitted over a seldom used stairwell in the party pantry, converting waste space to a much needed serving shelf. Opening at head of stairs is still large enough to be used for occasional trips to the basement.

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FITTED CLOSET next to feminine bedroom was dressed from top to bottom in quilted versions of the turquoise and aqua fabrics used on canopied bed and at window (see page 205). Decorative fittings include garment bags, padded hangers and hat stands, pretty shelf trim.

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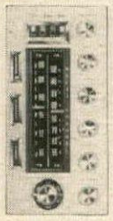
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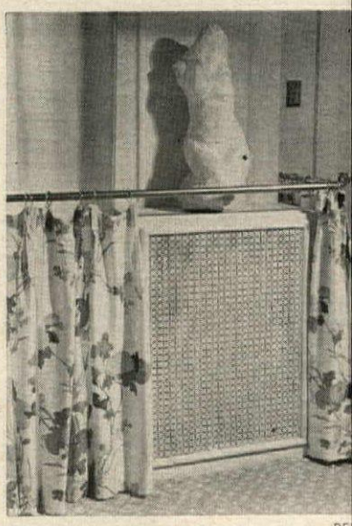
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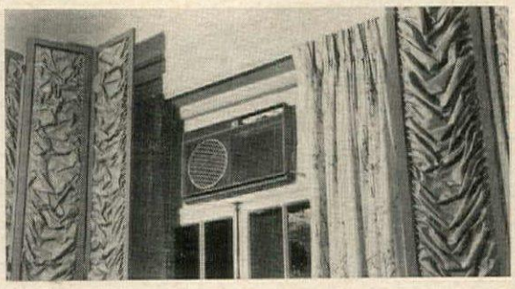


FLORAL BORDERS, and opaque enough to ceal an air conditione stalled in lower portio the window, trim a pa curtains in the garden r Sheer fabric covers re window without eclip sunlight or blocking



SILL-TO-FLOOR CURTAINS skirt a radiator beneath a window in one of the bedrooms. Pretty aqua, blue and turquoise floral is a repeat of print covering the upholstered headboard (see page 205).

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HINGED SCREEN in the dining room hides an air conditioner installed at top of the window. Shirred silk and Fortisan insets permit easy flow of air and provide an elegant background for dining (see screens closed, page 204).



CAFÉ CURTAIN set within the deep reveal of the master bedroom window covers cooling unit when Roman shades are raised. The oyster color blends with background of patterned shade and wall.

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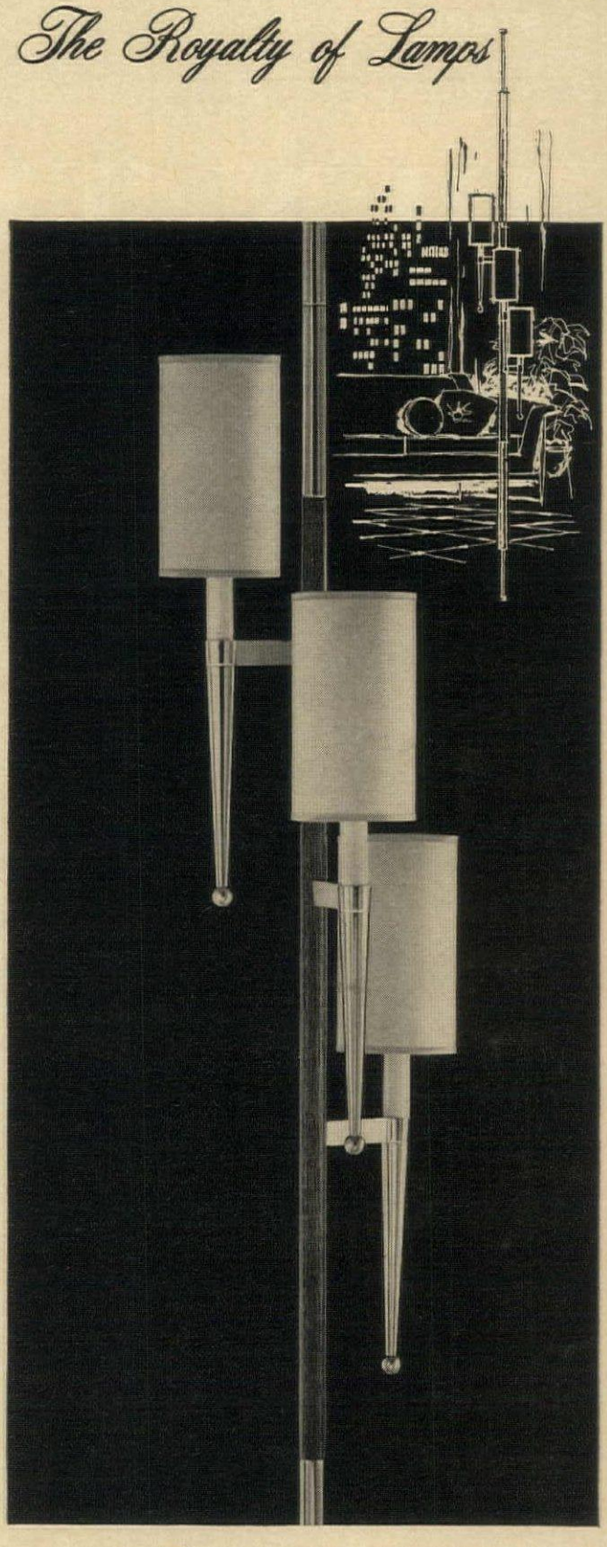
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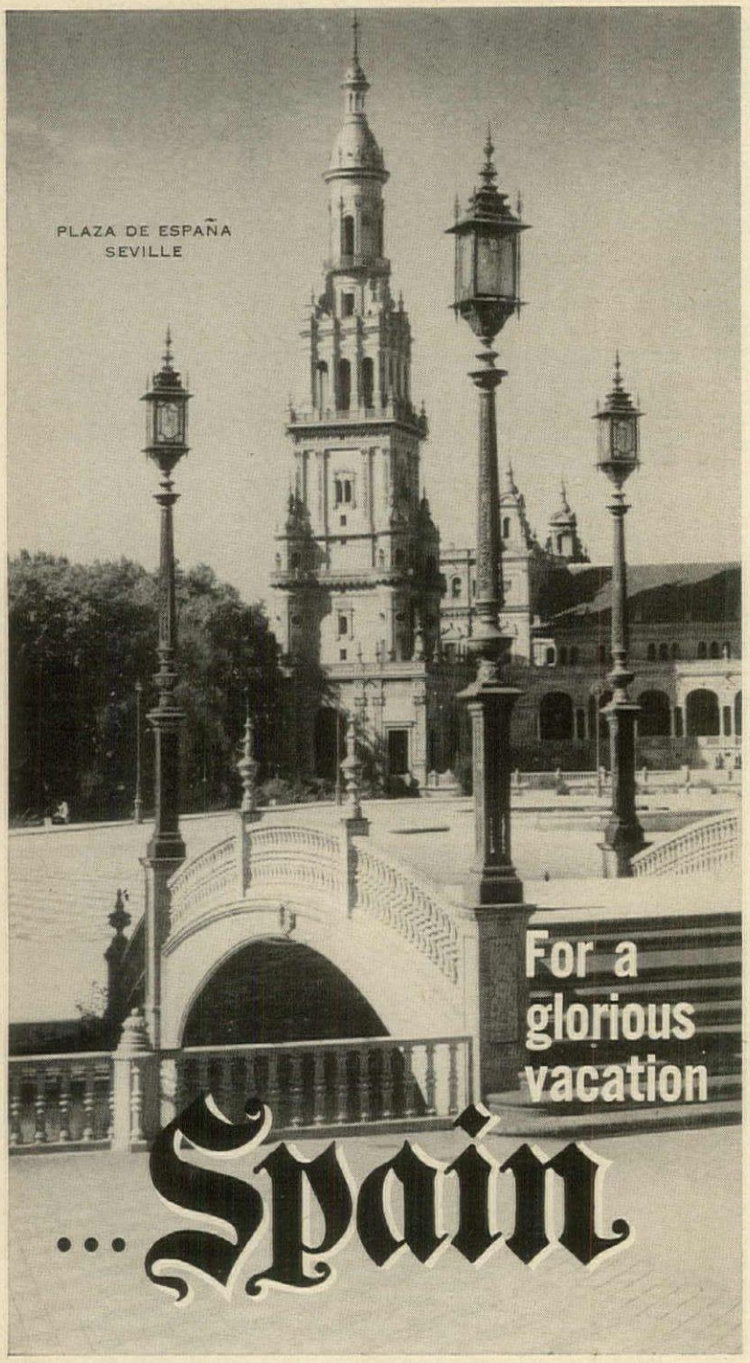
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"Regent"; 5-pc. place setting, $15.95; after-dinner cup and saucer, $5.25. "Royal Court" 5-pc. place setting, $27.95; after-dinner cup and saucer, $8.70. By Syracuse China.
"Provincial" goblets, milk glass, $2.75 ea.; "Hoffman House" amber, purple goblets, $1.50 ea. By Imperial Glass Corp.
Sterling flatware: "Trenza" serving spoon, $23; cold meat fork, $19; salad set, nylon handles, $50.60; 6-pc. place setting, $44. By Celsa Silver.
Linen napkins, 17" x 17", 75c ea. By Edmond Dewan Co.
Smorgasbord "Hot Spot," 52" x 9½", dual temperature, $59.50. By Salton.
Centerpieces, Venetian crystal. At Flairtime by Silvestri, through decorators.
Soufflé dish, gold lustre exterior, 20 oz., $6.25 ea. At Plummer's, 734 Fifth Ave., New York.
Royal Leerdam crystal salad bowl, $16.50. Old Sheffield silver tea urn, 22" h., $440; silver-plated footed trays, 9½" diam., engraved crest, $165 ea. Trivet tray, 6½" diam., Formica center, silver rim, $5.95.
Legacy silver-plate sugar bowl (spoon warmer), $25. At Black, Starr & Gorham, 594 Fifth Ave., New York.

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Royal Doulton "Burgundy" 5-pc. place setting, $12.95.
Sterling flatware, "Coquille" 6-pc. place setting, $57. At Christofle Silver, 55 E. 57th St., New York.
Belgian linen placemats and napkins, set of 4 each, $4.95. By Fallani & Cohn.

Pages 164, 165:
Oneida Premier "Bright Morning" melamine dinner plate, $3; cup, $1.50; saucer, $1.50; salad plate, $2.
Heirloom Sterling "Lasting Spring" cold meat fork, $13.50; serving spoon, $13.50; 2-pc. game set, $25; 6-pc. setting, $38.75. By Oneida, Ltd.
Placemats, foam rubber backed vinyl, wheat oblong mat beneath oval blue mat, 79c ea. Multi-colored linen napkins, $1 ea. At Stationery Dept., B. Altman & Co., New York.
Oblong tray, tin over wood, $7.75. At Phoenix Pan-American Imports, 793 Lexington Ave., New York.
Wood tray, 14" x 14" serving area, $16.95. At Bloomingdale's, New York.
Curtain fabric, sheer linen hand printed. By J. H. Thorp & Co., through decorators.
Blue pottery bowl by Schlanger, $16. Blue and white pottery bowl by Turner, $14. At Rabun Studios, 31 E. 67th St., New York.
Unicorn by Kempe, 20" h., $200. At America House, 44 W. 53rd St., N. Y.
Trompe l'oeil panel, 36" x 17", $86; from the Palladio collection of Interiors' Import Co., 783 Third Ave., New York.
Harvest table, lacquered, $165; side chairs, solid walnut, $40; wall support, $6; cabinets, oiled walnut and H&G Delphinium Blue, $104.50; oiled walnut shelf, 32" x 12", $13; bench-cocktail table, oiled walnut, black Colorlith top, 66" x 19", $80; By Founders Furniture Co.
Rotisserie broiler: 20¼" x 11½", 12⅝" h. Interior, 16" x 11", 10" h. $54.95. By General Electric.
West Bend electric fry pan, 11" x 11", immersible; aluminum cover and heat control. $23.95. Automatic saucepan, 3 qts., immersible; with heat control, $19.95.
Cory automatic percolator, 10 to 40 cups, with flavor selector. $39.95.
Brown oval pottery baker, $2; amber glass mugs, 85c ea., dessert dishes, 85c ea. At Fred Leighton, 15 East 8th St., New York.
Covered white butter melter and tile, Viking flame-proof porcelain, $8.75. At La Cuisinière, 903 Madison Ave., New York.
Walnut cigarette box, 13½" x 4½", $39.50. At America House, 44 West 53rd St., New York.
Staved teak salad bowl, $44.95. By Dansk Designs.

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"Romance" china; 5-pc. place setting, $23.95. By Lenox China.
Kosta Swedish crystal, "Brigadoon" goblets, $9 ea., wine glasses, $7 ea.
Sterling flatware: "Mignonette" serving spoon, $12.75; salad servers, $16.50; carving set (1 knife, 2 forks), $30; 6-pc. place setting, $39.75. Salt dish, $5; salt spoon, $2; pepper shaker, $7.50. By Lunt Silversmiths.
Linen tablecloth, 52" x 52", $5.50 ea., napkins, 75c each. By John Matouk.
Runners, pink and green plaid Siamese silk, 20" x 81", $13.45. At Thaibok Fabrics, 3 East 52nd St., New York.
Bowls, crystal and bronze, $560 pr.; crystal candlesticks, $180 pr. At Nesle Inc., 151 E. 57th St., New York.
Salad bowl, green glass, 11" diam., $6.98. At Bloomingdale's, New York.
Reproduction of Louis XV console, wormy chestnut, 60" x 20", $395. At Kean Associates, 140 E. 55th St., New York.
Casserole, gold lustre, white interior; 1 qt. 8 oz., $22.50. At Plummer's, 734 Fifth Ave., New York.
Wood ice bucket, walnut finish, metal liner, $28.50. At Piazza Montici, 19 E. 55th St., New York.
Steel trivet, 11½" x 36". At Doris Dessauer, through decorators.

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Rug, "Red Wall," by Guidetti; 36½" x 53½", $135. Cigarette box, walnut and mahogany, 10" x 4½", $29.50; ashtray, gray brown ceramic, $15. At America House, 44 W. 53rd St., N. Y.

Center:
Oval teak tray, 28" x 4½", $15; stainless cheese cutter, server, $3.25. At Seabon, 54 E. 54th St., New York.

Bottom:
Pewter coffee pot, $26; matching creamer, $8, sugar bowl, $8.50; sandwich tray, teak, 19½" long, $15. At Altman's, New York.
Teak plates, $3.50 ea. Faïence cups (lids may be used as saucers), $2.25. At Seabon, 54 E. 54th St., New York.

Dessert plates, amber glass, 7" diam., $1.50 ea. By Imperial Glass.

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Brown faïence after-dinner cup, saucer, $3; coffee pot, $14.50. At Seabon, 54 E. 54th St., New York.
Cookie jar, gray green ceramic, $15; brown ceramic compote, black brush strokes, $8. At America House, 44 W. 53rd St., New York.

Center:
Footed cigarette urn, clear glass, $3. By Imperial Glass.
Liqueur glass, "Regulus," $1.75; decanter, $9.95. At Seabon, 54 E. 54th St., New York.

Bottom:
Glass pitcher, $6.50; footed iced tea glasses, $1.40 ea.; both "Cape Cod" pattern. By Imperial Glass.
Iced tea spoons, "Laurel," stainless, $1.25 ea. At Seabon, 54 E. 54th St., New York.

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Highball glasses, "Bamboo," $1 ea. By Imperial Glass.
Pewter bowl, "Paul Revere," $15; pewter and teak ice bucket, $50. At Altman's, New York.

Remodeling with fabrics

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Casement cloth, "Riviera" Celaperm bouclé, 48" w., $2 yd. On benches, "Domino" Celaire, cotton, nylon, 47"-48" w., $2.29 yd. Wall covering, side draperies, "Melody" Celanese acetate, cotton brocade, $2.98 yd. By The Georgia Co.
Carpet, "Hidalgo" Acrilan, Verel; on stairs, "McKinley" Acrilan, Verel. By Cabin Crafts.

Page 202, *top:*
Walls and draperies, "Reversible Rose" Fortisan, cotton print, 50" w., $8.25 yd. Curtains, white Fortisan ninon, 49"-50" w., $3.45 yd. Loveseat upholstery, "Palmas" Celanese acetate, rayon, 54" w., $15.75 yd. By F. Schumacher & Co.

Pages 202-203:
Upholstery fabric on sofa, wing chair, gold chair: "Da Vinci" Celanese acetate, silk; 54" w., $6.50 yd. Curtain fabric, "Kashima" gauze; Fortisan, silk, Bemberg; 48"-50" w., $4.95 yd. Festoons: jacquard scroll, Celanese acetate, rayon; 48"-50" w., $2.75 yd. By Cohama.
Carpet, "Country Spice" Acrilan, modacrylic; high and low looped pile. By Cabin Crafts.
Furniture by Tomlinson: low wing chair, from Sophisticate group; sofa, gold chair, from Pavane group.

Page 204, *top, left:*
Café curtains, custom bedspread, bolster, canopy and wall, "Padua" Celanese acetate, spun rayon; 45" w., $2 yd. Chair covers, dust ruffles, tester curtains, recessed window curtains, "Madrid" Celanese acetate, Coloray, $2 yd. By Riverdale Fabrics.
Rug, "Langley" Acrilan, Verel. By Cabin Crafts.
From Mediterranea group: desk, chairs. Night stand, from Warwick group. By Heritage.

Right:
Fabrics: curtains, "Cherry Blossom" Fortisan, silk; 49" w., $8.70 yd.; screens, unquilted Arnel moiré, 50" w., $4.35 yd.; on chairs, quilted moiré, 48" w., $6.90 yd. By Stroheim & Romann.
Rug, "Serene" Acrilan, Verel, cut and looped pile. By Cabin Crafts.

Bottom, left:
Wall panels and Roman shades: "Kabuki" Celanese acetate, spun rayon; 48" w., $2.95 yd. Chair seat and pillows; trim on shades, chair: "Salome" Celanese acetate, spun rayon, 48" w., $2.29 yd. Custom bedspread, quilted "Salome." By Charles Bloom.

Bottom, right:
Fabrics: traverse draperies, curtains, sofa back, "Blossom" Celanese acetate, spun rayon; 45"-46" w., $1.69 yd. Screens: "Taj Mahal" Celanese acetate, spun rayon, 48" w., $2.49 yd. By Seneca Textile. Rug, "Color Poms" Acrilan, Verel. By Cabin Crafts.
Wrought-iron settees, table, from Montego group. By Salterini.

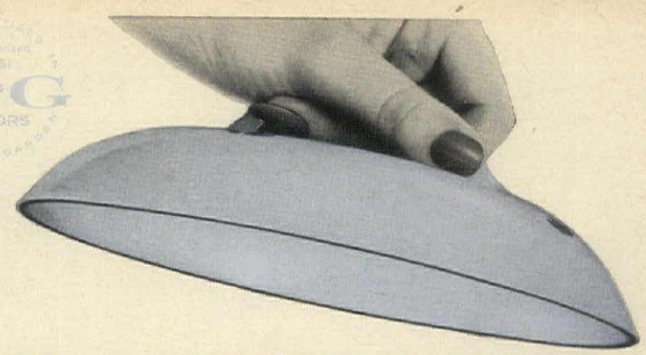
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Fabrics: draperies, "Somerset" Fortisan, Celanese acetate, 48" w., $2.95 yd.; curtains, "Giralda" Fortisan, Celanese acetate; 46"-47" w., $2.95 yd. Glass curtains, sheer Fortisan, Celanese acetate, 46"-47" w., $2.25 yd. Custom bedspread, bolsters, slipcover, toss pillows, "Reversible Satin" Celanese acetate, spun rayon. By Waverly Fabrics.
Rug, "Cadenza" nylon. By Cabin Crafts.
Armchair, from Cantonesian group, leather upholstery. Lounge chair, from Traditional group. By Heritage Furniture.

Bottom:
Fabrics: curtains, bed draperies: "Regalo" sheer Fortisan, silk, $3 yd. Headboard, "Kyoto" Celanese acetate, 45"-46" w., $2.49 yd. Custom bedspread, bolster, chair upholstery: "Duchess Satin" Celanese acetate, spun rayon, nylon, 49" w., $2.75 yd. By Kandell.
Rug, "Color Poms" Acrilan, Verel loop and cut pile. By Cabin Crafts.
Chair, from Mediterranea group. By Heritage Furniture.

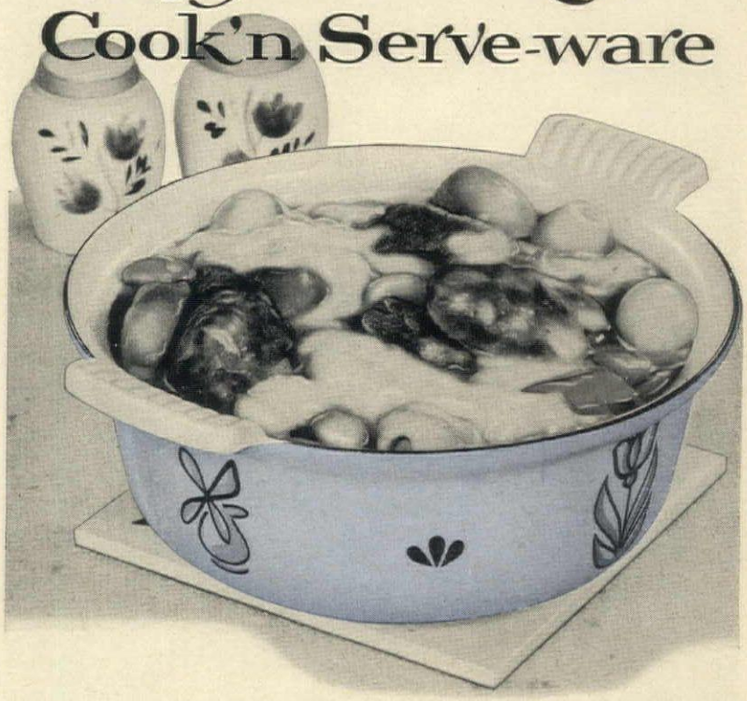
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Draperies, "Rialto" Celanese acetate, spun rayon, 45" w., $1.49 yd. Bar stool covers, "Viscount" Celaire, cotton, nylon, 48" w., $2.95 yd. By Walter Fabrics.
Rug, "Prado," cotton. By Cabin Crafts.
Bar stools. By Salterini.

Pages 206, 207:
Fabrics: screens, "Recamier" Celanese acetate, spun rayon, 48" w., $8.65 yd. Side draperies, stool covers, "Antique" taffeta, Fortisan, rayon, 50" w., $4.50 yd. Valance and chair, quilted Fortisan, rayon, 47" w., $13.50 yd. Gauze curtains, Fortisan, silk, 50" w., $5.55 yd. By H. B. Lehman-Connor Co.

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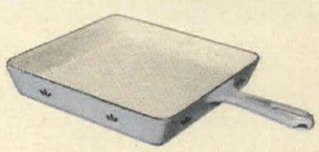
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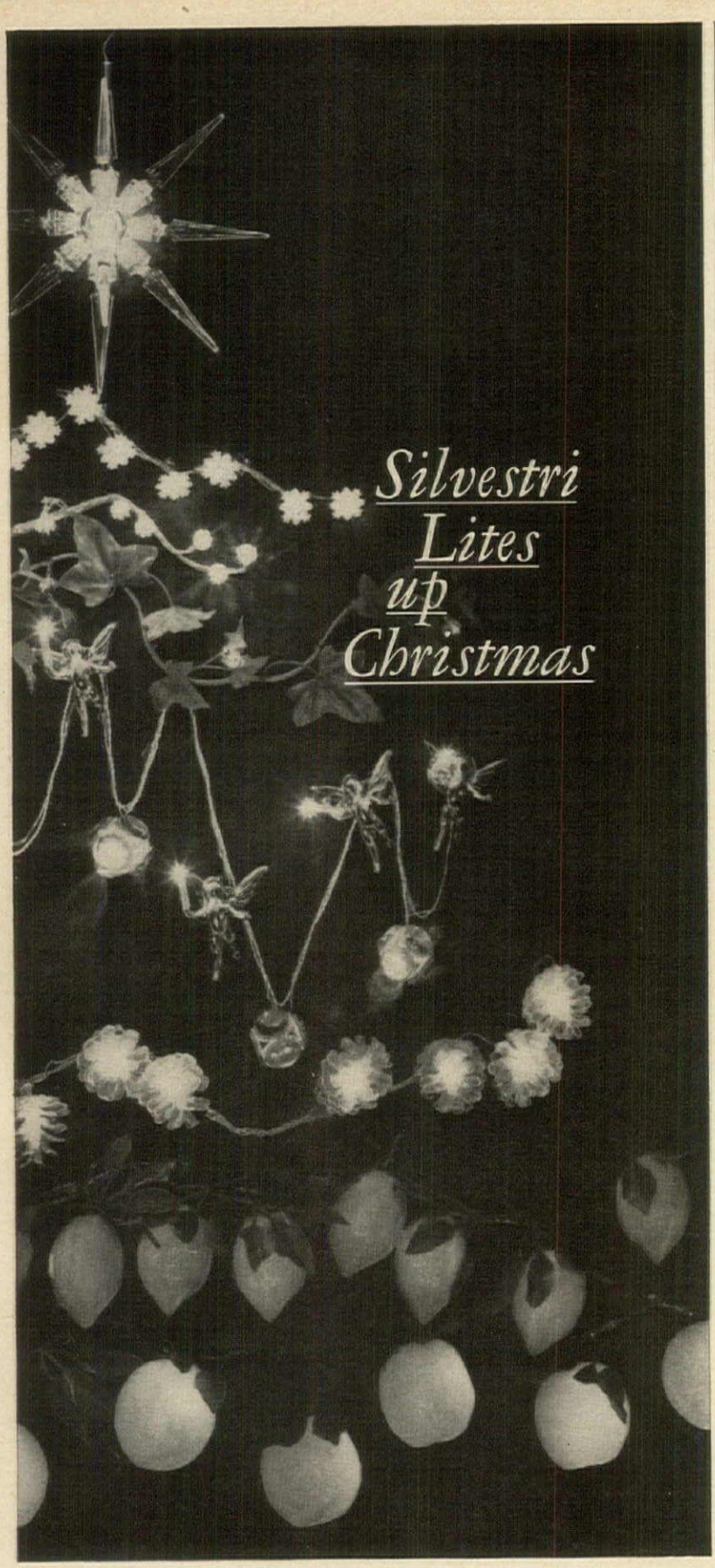


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Coffee urn, white ironstone china with candle warmer, 19" h., $30. At Bergdorf Goodman, 754 Fifth Ave., New York.
Ice bucket, 10" h., $71.50; warming stand, "Fil," 14½" x 10", $42; bread basket, 11" x 7½", "Vannerie" pattern, $20. All silver plate. At Christofle Silver, 55 E. 57th St., New York.
Cake stand, purple slag glass, 10" diam., $7.50. By Imperial Glass.
Octagonal dessert plates, white ceramic, herb decoration; also available in plain white. Set of 6, $10.50; set of 8, $12. At Bergdorf Goodman, 745 Fifth Ave., New York.

Page 212:
Chafing dish, Royal Holland, copper and brass; 8¾" diam., 2 qt. size; adjustable alcohol burner; $50. At Abercrombie & Fitch, Madison Ave. & 45th St., New York.
Salad bowl, teak, 13¾" diam., $50. At B. Altman & Co., New York.
Teak tray: 35" x 5", $19.50; 28" x 4½", $15; 22½" x 4", $10; 14" x 2¾", $3.95. At Seabon, 54 E. 54th St., New York.
Individual covered soup bowls, porcelain, $5 ea. Salt or pepper mill with flint grinder, $5. At Bloomingdale's, 743 Lexington Ave., New York.
Soup ladle, "Dax" pattern, $10.16, "Fil" wine basket, silver plate, $33.30. At Christofle Silver, 55 E. 57th St., New York.
Casserole, 7-qt. Dansk "Quistgaard," $39.95; brass warming stand, $28.95; teak handle, $4.95. At Georg Jensen, 667 Fifth Ave., New York.
Teak tray, fish shape, 15½" x 11½", $15. At Seabon, 54 E. 54th St., N. Y.
Server, teak finish butternut; top tray, 5" x 10¼"; bottom, 7" x 14"; $4. At The Willow Shop, 182 W. 4th St., New York.
Round tray, bamboo rim; red, green or black: 10½" diam., $4.25; 13", $4.75; 15½", $6.50. At Bonniers, 605 Madison Ave., New York.

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Stand, "Porcelain de Paris," designs on white ground: 12" h. Tiers: 7½", 9", 10" diam. $44. At Baccarat & Porthault, 55 E. 57th St., New York.
Covered soup server, white glaze, saffron trim, $4. At Ed Langbein Giftwares, 161 Willoughby St., Brooklyn, New York.
White Limoges shell, 9" x 9", $11. At East House, 1075 First Ave., New York.
Buffet server with candle warmer, 9" x 13½"; brass; Pyrex liner. $20. At Carole Stupell, 54 E. 57th St., N. Y.

Page 216:
Wire whisks: 10", 60c; 8", 45c; chocolate roll board, 24" long, $2.95; flan rings, 10", $1, 7", 70c; Creuset Ware cocotte, porcelain on cast iron, 6 qts., $16.95. At Bazar Français, 666 Sixth Ave., New York.
Hobart KitchenAid electric mixers: standard 3-qt., in colors, $69.50; satin chrome and antique copper, $89.50, with glass bowl, agitators. White Bulex finish: 4-qt. metal bowl, wire whip, combination flat beater, pastry knife; $124.50. Five-quart white metal bowl, loop whip, combination flat beater, pastry knife; available in color, chrome or copper finishes, $159.50.
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Silex electric ice-cream freezer, makes 1 to 4 quarts; AC only. UL approved. $29.95. At Macy's, N. Y.
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"PLEASE BE SEATED..." or a Code for Guests

BY MARY C. BURKE

If you think it's good manners to jump up from the dinner table whenever anyone moves toward the kitchen, this servantless hostess may change your mind

As a housekeeper and longtime, if not spectacular, cook and hostess I am adamant about guests stepping across the threshold of my kitchen, particularly when a meal is being prepared. For years I have harbored a secret feeling that my antipathy was nothing more than ill humor at best or a hidden pyschosis at worst. But to my delight I recently discovered that my attitude is shared by many another battle-scarred victim. As hostesses, we have all had to cross swords time and again with well-meaning but misguided friends determined to be helpful guests.

The friend (I use the term affectionately as frequently it is one's best friend) who won't take no for an answer is more than just exasperating. He (or she) is a menace. However well-mannered and charming he may be in the drawing room, in the kitchen he can try the patience of the most relaxed hostess. The fact that he has no more talent for things domestic than the yak doesn't dampen his enthusiasm. He is sure you are merely being polite when you decline his offer of help. No matter how much you love him at other times, at a moment like this he has all the charm of an invading army.

What the helpful guest never seems to realize is that today's servantless hostess takes great pride in her ability to get a superior meal on the table with a minimum of fuss. She is proud of being able to manage with one hand a husband, house, children, sometimes a full-time job, while with the other she entertains with the efficiency of a professional caterer. Backstage coaching is the one thing she neither needs nor cares for. If she is extra thin-skinned she may even take it as disparagement of her virtuosity.

What's more, each hostess has her own system of doing things which she likes because it works for her. And every household has idiosyncrasies that only the hostess knows and understands—including some she prefers not to have exposed to even good friends in the midst of a gay social evening. The helpful guest, bless his heart, always manages to ferret out that one weakness: e.g., the one cupboard she hasn't had time to straighten out.

When the hostess needs assistance outside of her own family she asks a friend to help. It's as simple as that.

Thousands of words have been and will be written on how to be a more amusing, interesting and proficient hostess. It seems to me the time has come to establish a similar code to restrain kitchen kibitzers and their gratuitous advice. Here are my ground rules for guests—helpful types please copy:

1. Offer to help, if you must, after dinner—never before—but take no for an answer.
2. Regard the kitchen as no man's land unless you are invited in. If so, it is against the rules to look in the oven or in pans on the stove, to offer suggestions for improving dishes in preparation, to case the refrigerator.
3. If your hostess asks you to perform a task you know how to do, accept gracefully. If it is one that throws you, tell her. She will be eternally grateful.
4. Compulsive ashtray emptiers make everyone very nervous. The hostess or someone appointed by her will tend to ashtrays periodically, so relax.
5. Clearing the table is *verboten*, too. There may be no room in the kitchen for the dishes. Even if there is, you are sure to put them in the wrong place. Give your hostess credit for having a splendid plan for disposing of the meal's remains and also give her the opportunity to put the plan into action.
6. Do not even mention washing dishes. Many hostesses, including me, prefer not to wash up until the last guest has departed. Guests inevitably wash dishes exactly the way I loathe and no one has ever been able to understand *my* system for doing this tiresome chore.

These rules are simple enough to learn by heart. But if you are seized with an overpowering, almost uncontrollable, impulse to break loose in someone's house, take a deep breath and JUST SIT THERE.

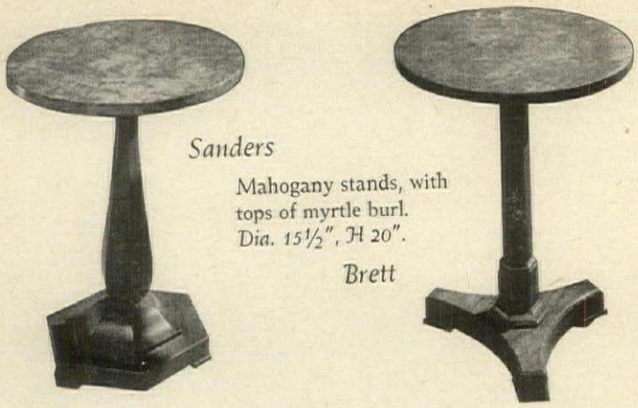


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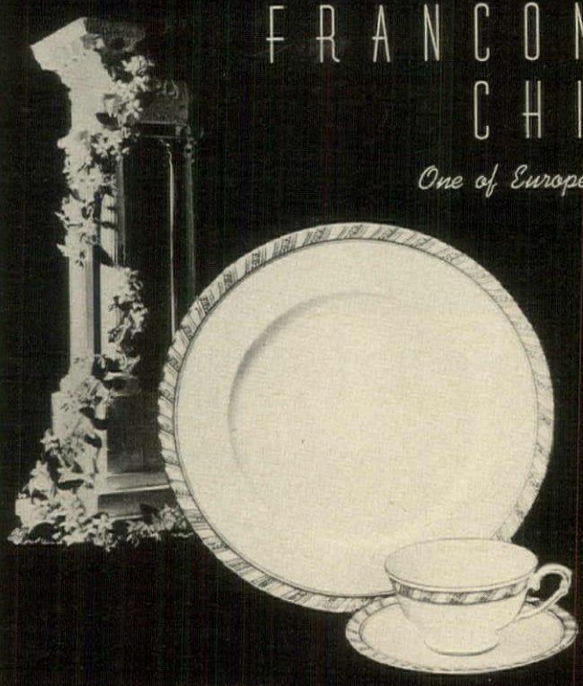


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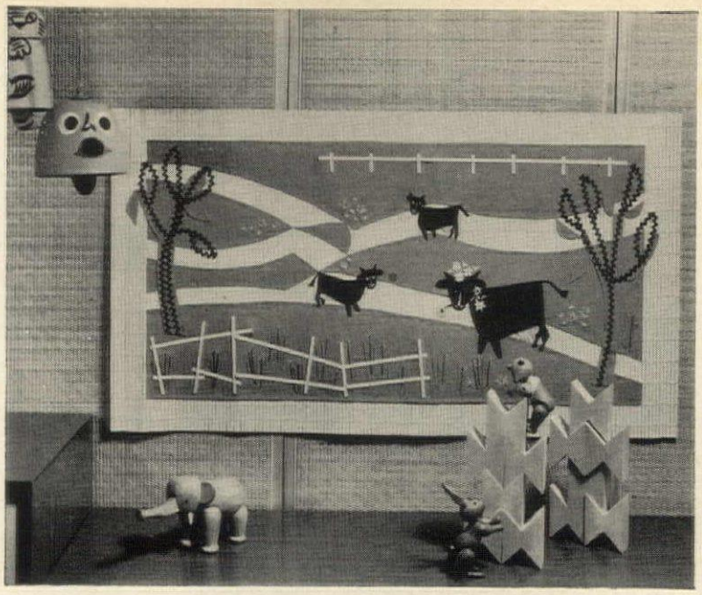
To create these charming wall panels designed by Jane Gehring, all you need is a smidgeon of sewing skill and a few common materials. The backgrounds are sailcloth, wood-slat blind material or burlap. The designs are cut from felt, terrycloth, wood-slat sticks and rickrack. If you wish your hanging to be washable, use pre-shrunk sailcloth or Indianhead for the backgrounds and sew on all the pieces instead of gluing them. To guide you in making the panels, instructions are given below each picture. If you would like patterns for the lamb, cow and engine pieces, write to H&G Reader Service.



Little Lambs

⅔ yd blue sailcloth
1 pkg white rickrack
1 small skein white yarn
1 small skein black yarn
¼ yd white terrycloth
1 yarn needle
1 small skein blue-green yarn
1 tube white fabric glue

Turn back each long side of sailcloth ¼ inch and stitch on the sewing machine. Fold back a hem of one inch on the top and bottom. Stitch. Pin the white rickrack along this hem on the front, top and bottom, then stitch. Cut out the three frolicking lambs from terrycloth, glue to background. With the black yarn add the hooves, noses and eyes. With the blue-green yarn, embroider the tree and flowers using straight stitches and "lazy Daisy" stitches. French knots can make the centers of the flowers. Through the top hem, insert an inexpensive round curtain rod for hanging the panel.

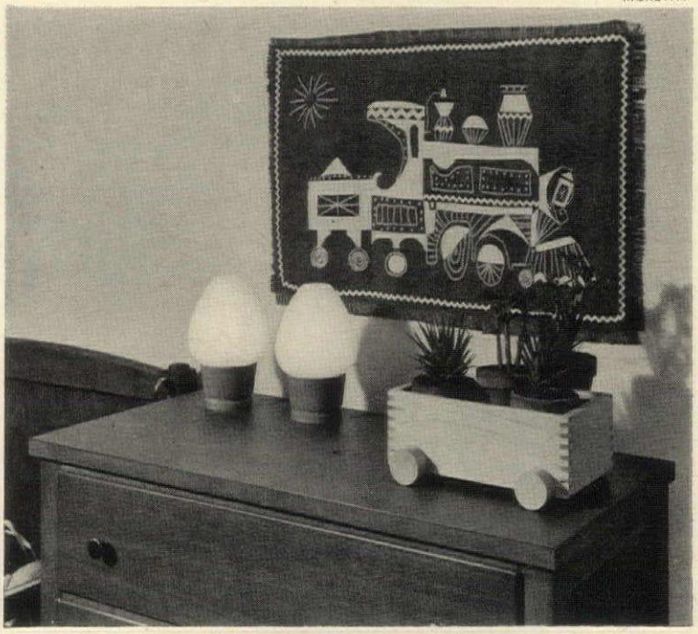


Please Do Eat the Daisies

40" by 22" piece of wood-slat blind
12" strip of tan felt (for earth)
2 pieces of dark brown felt, 8" by 11"
2-3 shades yellow embroidery thread
1 tube white fabric glue
1 pkg dark brown rickrack
Scraps of white and yellow felt
1 embroidery needle

Use 4 slats from a blind for fence. Turn two slats back on each side of background and glue down to finish sides. Cut earth and trees from tan felt. Embroider grass and flowers on earth pieces and then glue to background. Next glue on the trees and the rickrack on top of tree forms. Make the fence by cutting up the extra slats and glue to the earth. Cut out the cows and glue them as shown so they overlap the earth and background. Embroider faces on the cows. From the white and yellow felt cut tiny flowers and use them to decorate the head and the neck of the largest cow and glue them into place.

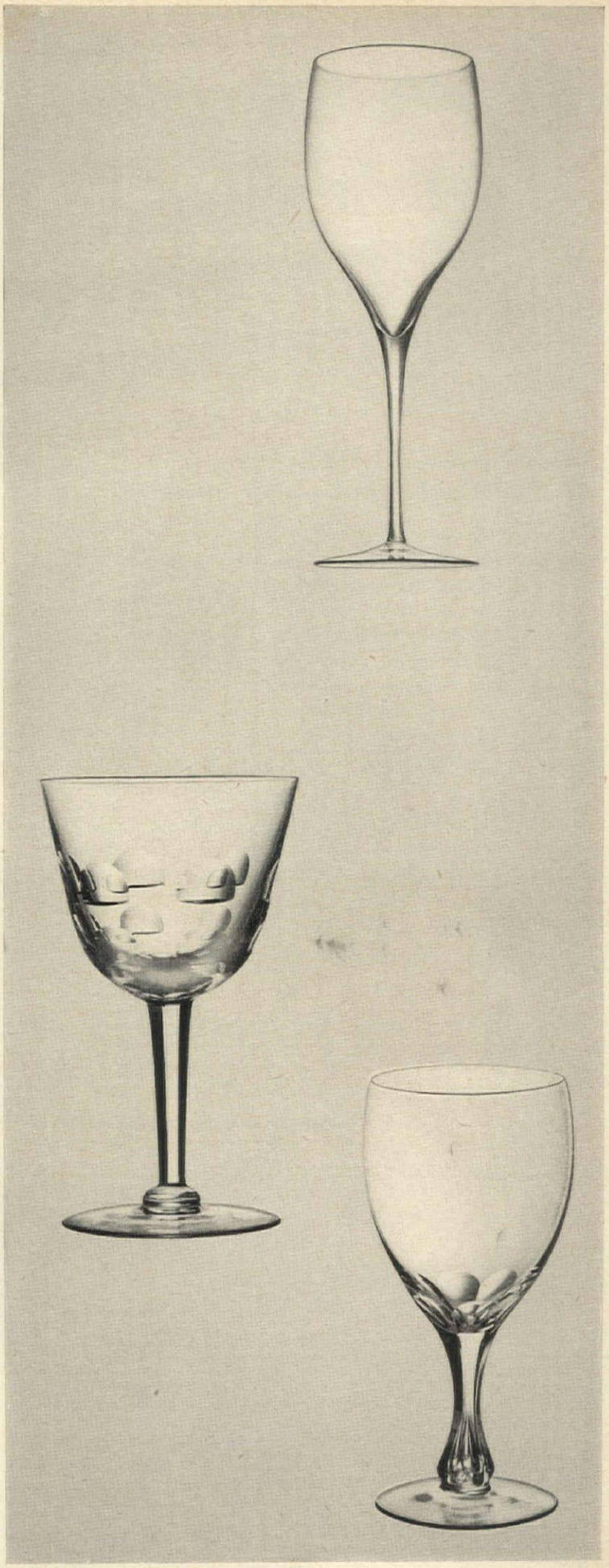
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Charlie the Choo Choo

½ yd red burlap
1 pkg white rickrack
12" strip jumbo white rickrack
1 skein white embroidery thread
12" by 12" square white felt
1 small skein white yarn
1 yarn embroidery needle
1 tube white fabric glue

Cut burlap to 18" by 28". Stitch rickrack around this piece one inch and a half from edge. Pull threads to fringe outer edge for depth of one inch. Cut the white felt pieces and glue to the burlap. Glue on jumbo and regular rickrack pieces. Make all the detail lines of the train with the knitting yarn. Fasten long lines and circle the wheels with embroidery thread. Use embroidery thread for lines to the front lamp, bell and small wheel. Put sun in sky with yarn. Line hanging with an old piece of sheeting. Hand stitch to the back. At the top turn a ¾ inch hem toward outside to hold rod.





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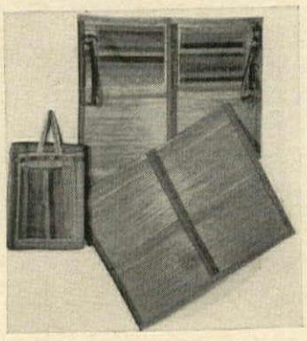


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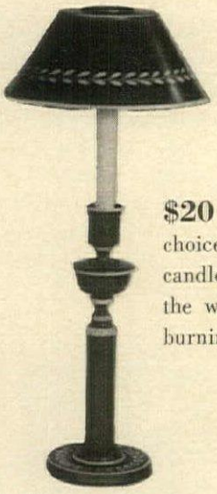
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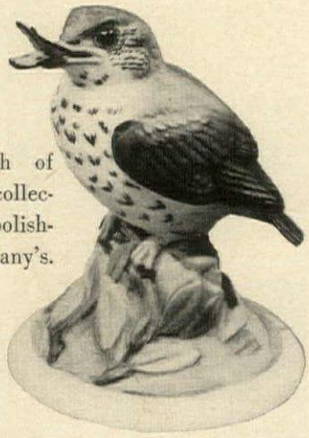
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$45 Baby wood thrush of porcelain to perch in a collector's cabinet or sit on a polished table. 5" high. Tiffany's.

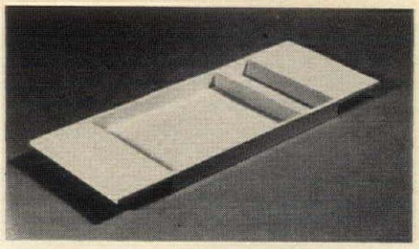


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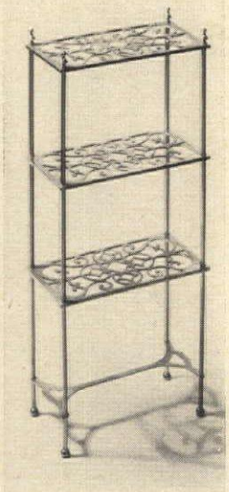
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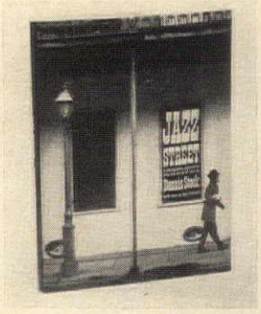
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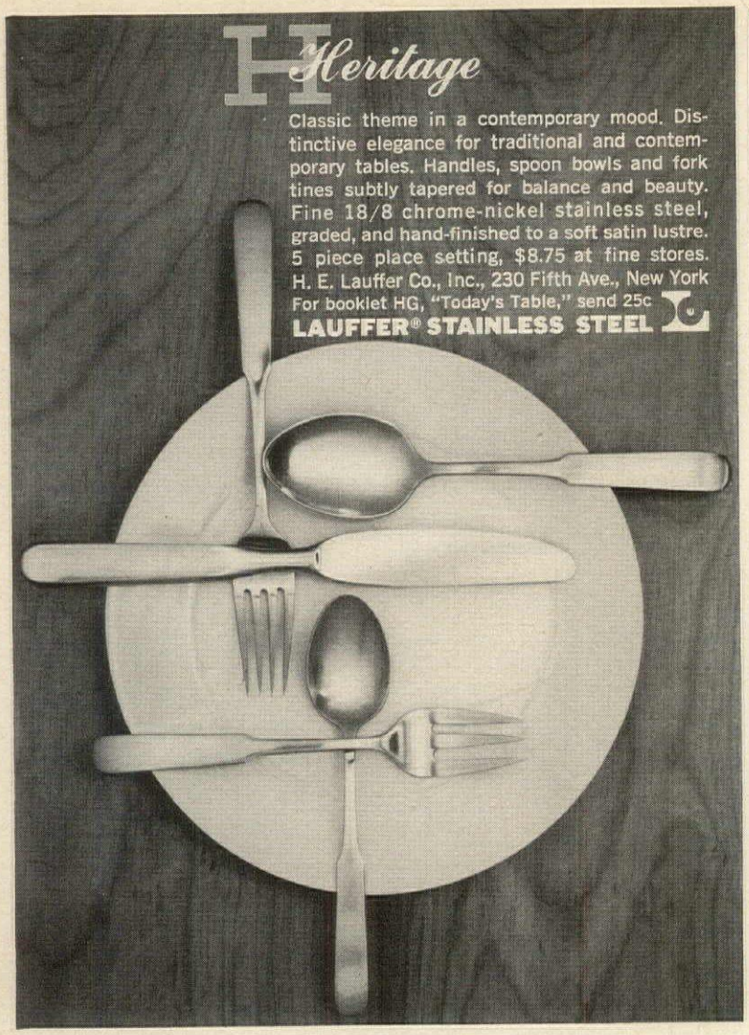
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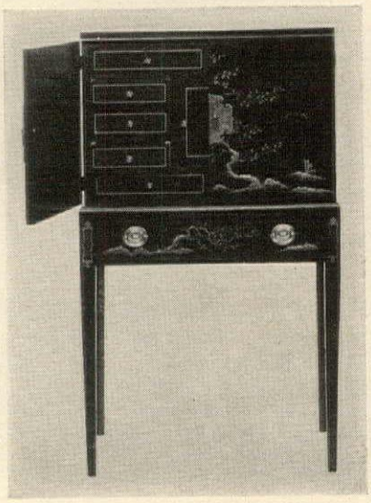
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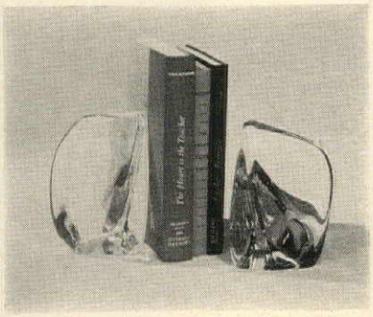
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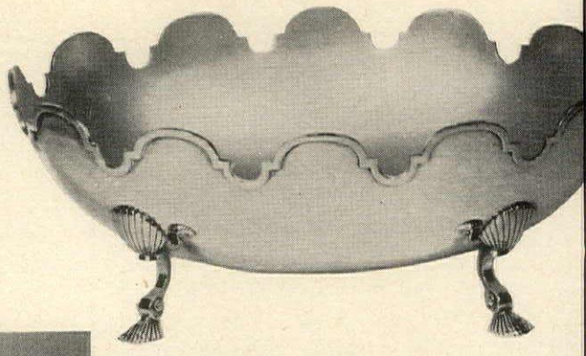
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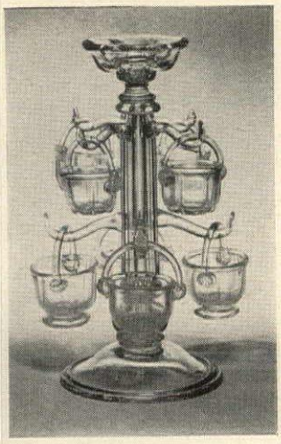
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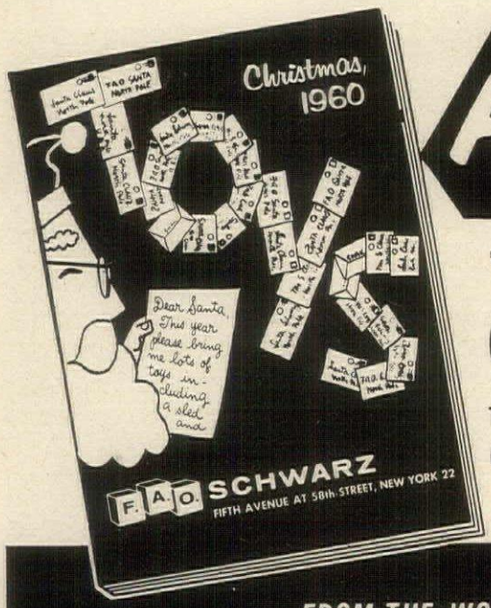
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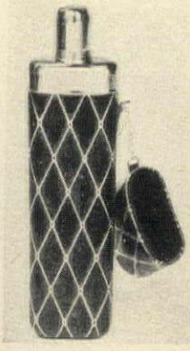


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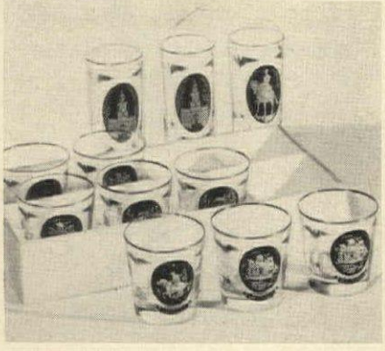
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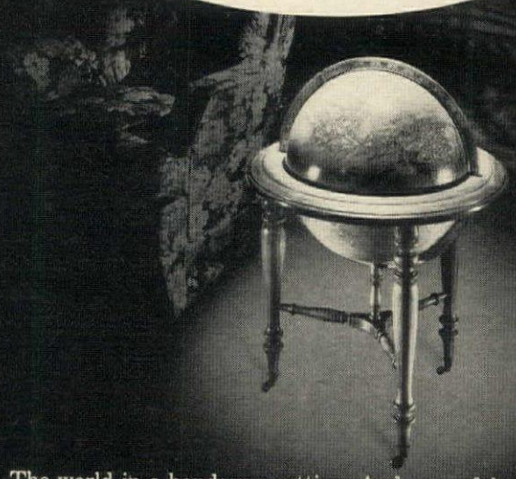


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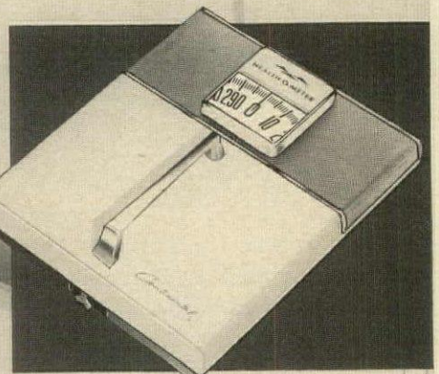
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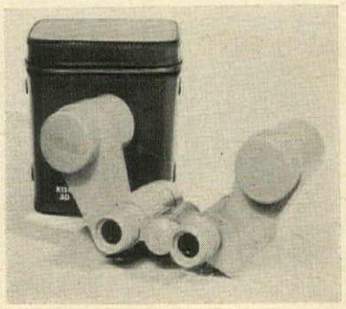
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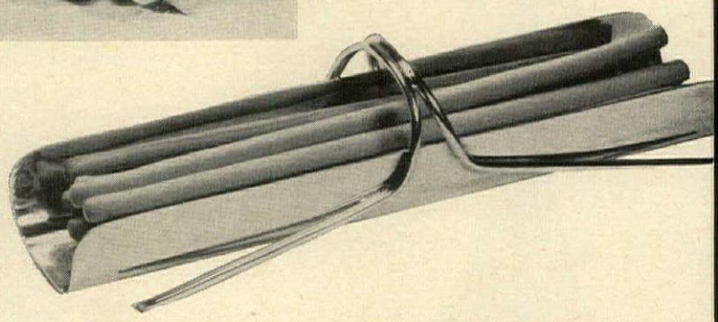
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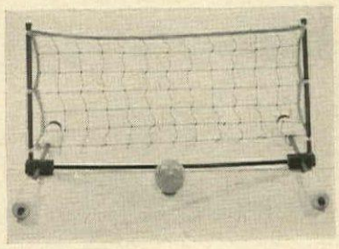
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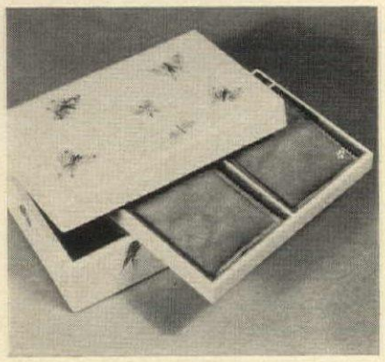
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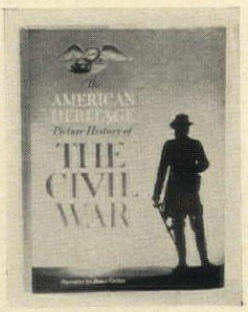
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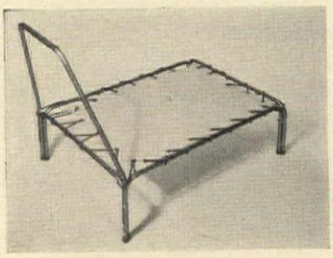
$24.95 *Right:* For a young girl's jewelry: white jewel box hand-painted with butterflies, lined with rose velvet. Lift-out tray. 11″ by 8″ by 4″ deep. Zane-Davis.



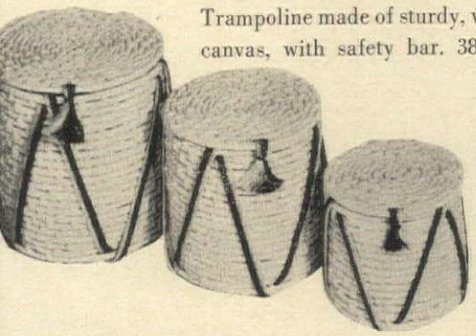
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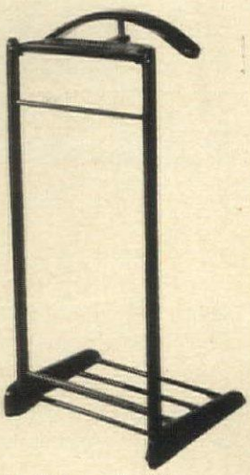
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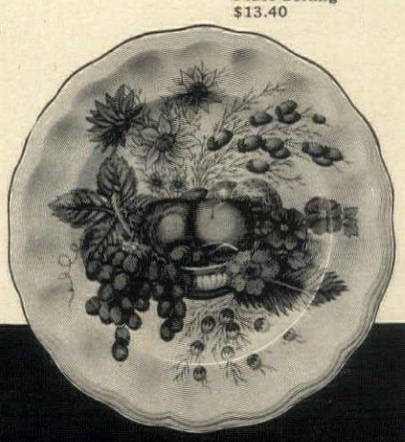


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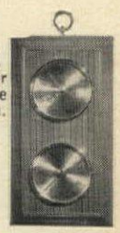

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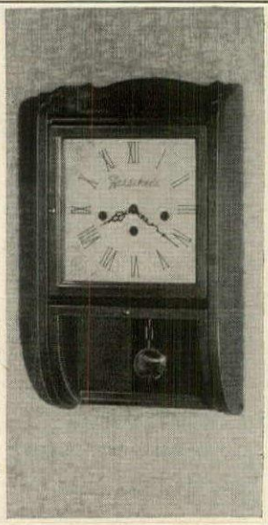
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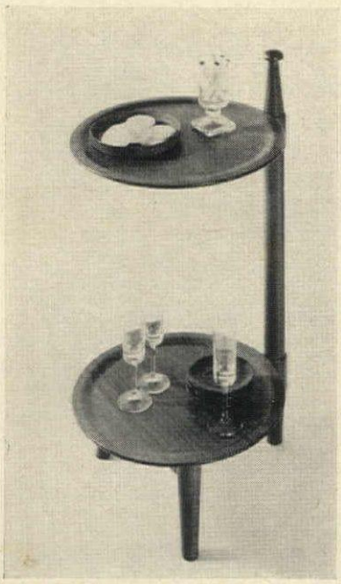


Nest of tables is a wonderfully adaptable addition to your entertaining front line. Trio is made of walnut inset with strips of anodized aluminum. Largest table has travertine top, is 28" by 28" by 25" high. The set: $350. Widdicomb-Mueller.

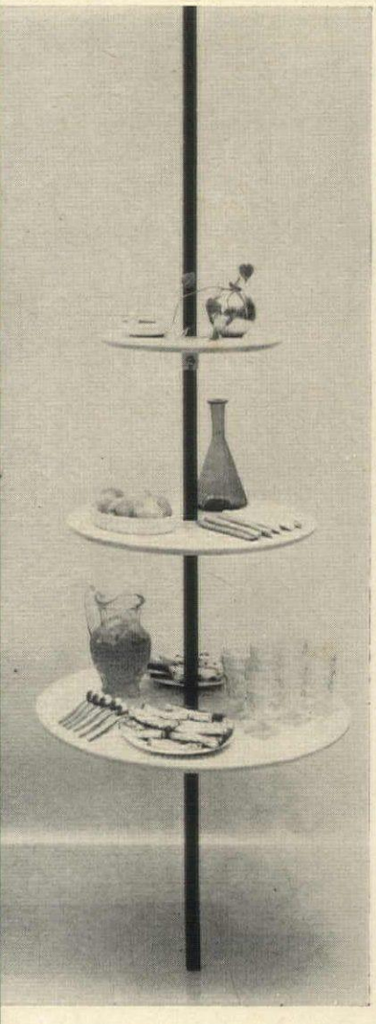




Free-wheeling cart provides a buffet center wherever you plan to serve, has shelves below for stowing china and serving dishes for later courses. Below a drawer at right are four slide-out trays of white acrylic plastic embedded with butterflies and leaves. This versatile cart comes in hardwood with burnished mahogany finish, measures 36″ long, 19″ wide, 27″ high. $139. Kroehler Manufacturing Co. "Toadstools" with plastic seats and bases, painted maple stems, come in white, black, coral, turquoise; make useful additions to a family room. Seats, 14½″ diameter, 14″ high. Set of four, $44. Thayer Coggin.



Double-decker table, a compact chair-high design that can be moved about with ease, is a perfect size for parking after-dinner coffee, cigarettes, a pony of brandy. Cantilevered shelves 14″ diam.; table height, 24″. $17. Selig Mfg. Co.



Pyramid of tables, *far left,* is stacked on a ceiling-to-floor pole. Shelves, 30″, 24″, 18″, 12″ square, are high-pressure melamine laminate in a checkerboard of white and walnut-grain inlays. $114.95. *Left:* Pole-suspended round shelves with gray sunburst pattern on white melamine range from 18″ top to 30″ bottom. $110.95. (Prices of both include detachable swivel lamp not shown.) Walter N. Stuckslager, Inc.

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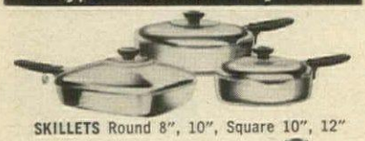
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ground torches placed about the coconut grove. It was a fascinating if slightly crazy ceremony, and it made the United States seem thousands of miles away, even though I was right in the heart of the fiftieth state.

Hawaii, the orchid island

Next day I took off for the largest of the islands, Hawaii, where I stayed first at the little town of Kailua, Kona. The Kona district is best known for the coffee grown there. Kona coffee is considered rather strong and on the mainland it is blended with other coffees but in Kona they serve it straight. It is about half-way in strength between breakfast coffee and espresso. Hawaii is the only island in the chain where coffee is grown for commercial use and there are over 10,000 acres of it, so it directly affects the lives of most of the people. For instance, the school summer holiday starts in August and continues to November so that the children can help with the harvesting of the crop.

Kailua, Kona is a charming town situated right on the ocean front, and amid its tropical foliage and palm trees stands a very old, white, traditional New England church, its spire towering above the trees, a reminder of the early missionaries.

It is on the island of Hawaii that most of the orchids are grown and when you dine you usually find a purple vanda orchid on your entrée plate. At the Kona Inn you even get an orchid with your scrambled eggs at breakfast, and, inevitably, there is one floating on top of your favorite long drink at cocktail hour. The specialty of the house is the "Harpooner's Holiday," which I decided to try at home but minus the orchid and the paper parasol garnish. This is the way you make it:

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At the Kona Inn, instead of serving the usual potato chips or Macadamia nuts, they place a tiny hibachi (such as you can buy for about $3.50) on each table. Chunks of steak or tiny cocktail frankfurters are served on metal

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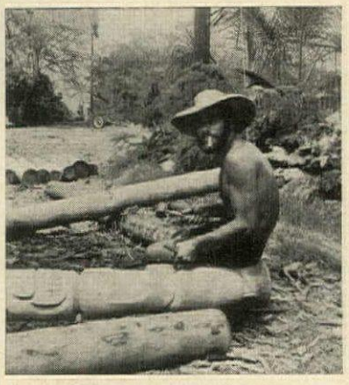
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skewers and kept hot on the hibachis. I thought it might be good to use these hibachis for outdoor parties, distributing them about so people wandering around would still be within reach of warm snacks.



Geno of Kona carves "tikis" (totems) out of tree-fern wood, using authentic Hawaiian and Tahitian tribal designs.

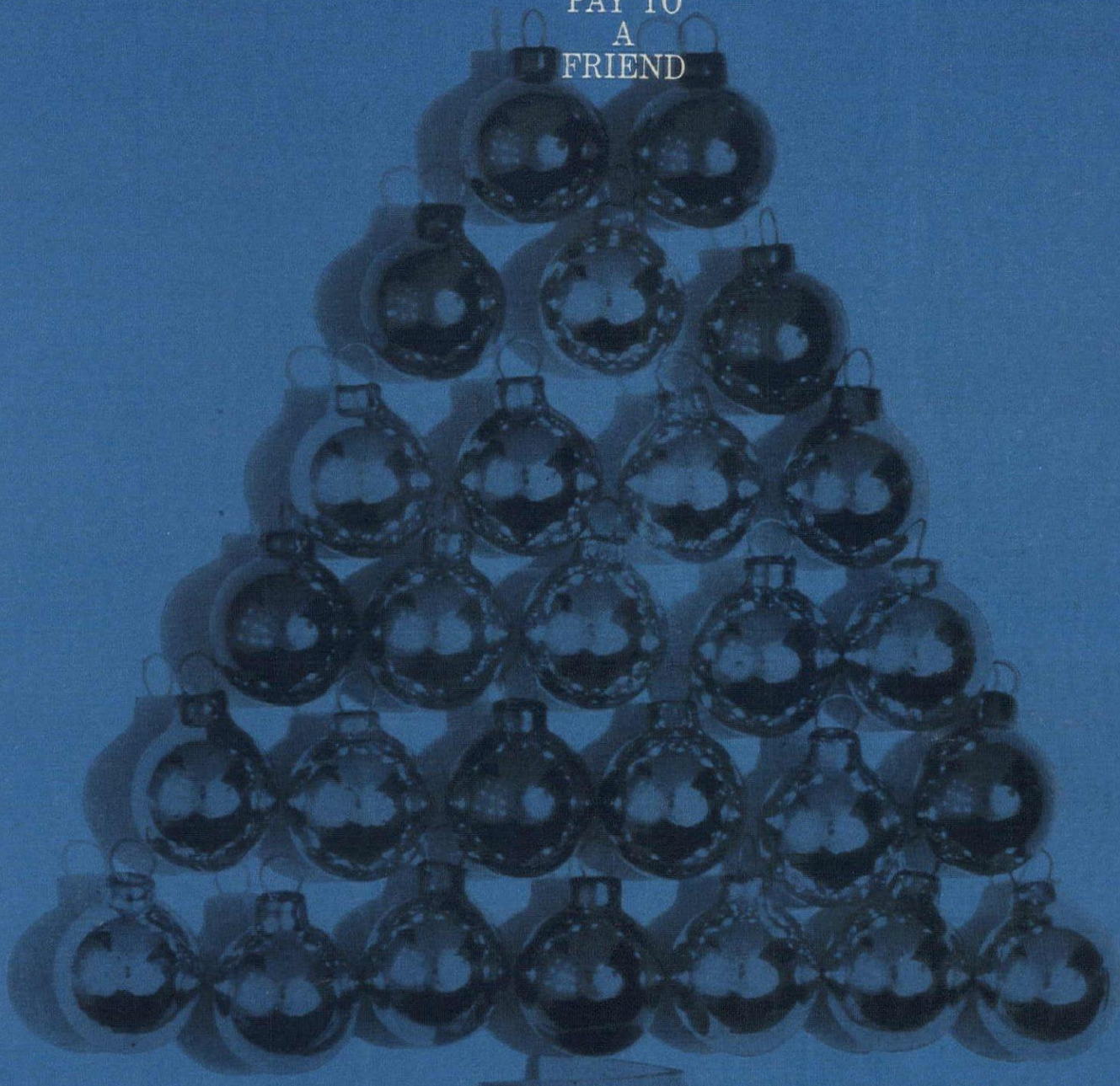
One morning when I took a walk from the inn, I came upon a young man who seemed to have stepped right out of a Somerset Maugham story. He calls himself "Geno of Kona" and is a tall, muscular "original" who dresses only in a Polynesian sarong or old Bermuda shorts and a huge, floppy straw hat. Geno earns his living by carving totems, or *tikis* as the Hawaiians call them, from tree-fern wood. He uses authentic Hawaiian and Tahitian designs and charges from $200 up for a totem. It takes about six weeks for delivery after he receives an order. Geno was educated in Southern California, and was, among other things, an actor on both stage and screen, an advertising copywriter and a newspaperman. He gave it all up one day and just moved to Hawaii, where, besides carving *tikis*, he does Polynesian paintings on velvet, rents out drive-it-yourself jeeps and takes tourists on glass-bottomed boats to see coral formations. He has a little home on the beach and a garden which he has landscaped himself. Geno works for a while, saves his money, then closes up everything and takes off for a few months to loaf on the magical South Sea Islands. That boy has it made!

After a couple of gloriously lazy days at the ocean's edge in Kona, I drove with some fellow tourists across the island, through the fabulous Parker Ranch, to the town of Hilo. This is the city, the second largest in the state, that was so hard hit last spring by tidal waves.

Though you are showered with orchids in Kona, the Hilo district is where most of the orchids on the island are grown. We visited an establishment called

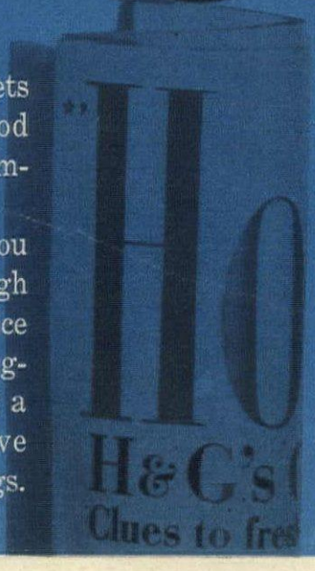
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"Orchids of Hawaii" where all the women in our party were given huge *leis* made up of about 100 orchids and the men were given hybrid orchids for boutonnières.

At the store adjoining the gardens, orchids and other tropical Hawaiian flowers can be bought and sent to the mainland airmail special-delivery so that they will arrive fresh and crisp. Mail orders are also welcomed. The owners ask for five days in advance of the desired date for delivery to Eastern states, four days for delivery to Western states and one week for holidays.

An especially good buy is anthurium, the heart-shaped flower that looks almost artificial and comes in deep red, pink and white. This hardy blossom will last two to four weeks in water. (One woman of our party sent a bouquet to her church to be used at the altar on the following Sunday.) Prices range from $7.50 for a half-dozen small anthurium to $17.50 for a dozen giant ones.

Ideal and spectacular for party decorations and centerpieces are the little purple vanda orchids which range from 20 cents to 29 cents each, depending on the quantity ordered. The prices include airmail special-delivery charges.

Maui, the valley island

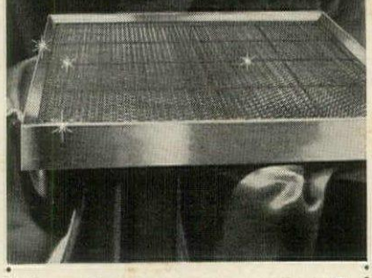
My last day before returning to Oahu, Waikiki Beach and blessèd rest was spent in a lightning trip around the island of Maui, staring at the high mountains, the sugar cane fields, the spectacular lookouts, the beaches of rough-carved beauty.

I spent most of the afternoon in the ancient city of Lahaina, the first royal capital of the islands. When Hawaii was the center of the whaling industry, Lahaina was a busy and bustling town, but now it is quiet and remote and seems to belong to another era.

Lahaina is the headquarters of an organization known as the Maui Divers who scour the canyons 200 feet down into the Pacific in search of black coral, which is rare and exceedingly difficult to obtain. They bring the coral to their shop where you can watch it being polished, carved and made into beautiful pieces of jewelry. This is a comparatively new art for the islands, since the source of black coral was only discovered in 1958, but it has become extremely popular. The finished jewelry is

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That evening I was on my way back to Oahu enjoying an awe-inspiring view of the islands of Kahoolawe, Lanai and Molokai, and finally sweeping over Diamond Head and down to the Honolulu airport.

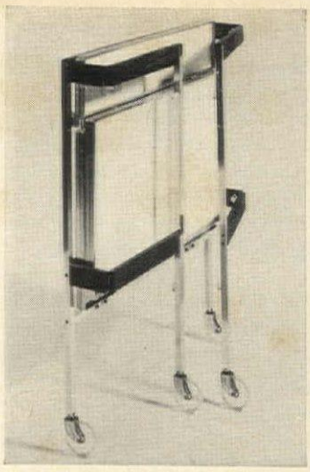
Thinking back over all I had seen, I was struck by the number and variety of churches we had visited. When you go to Europe you expect to spend considerable time wandering in and out of cathedrals, staring at shrines and faded frescoes. But it would never have occurred to me to make a point of looking at churches on a tropical island. Hawaii, however, includes people from so many different racial groups and cultural backgrounds, that it has churches for practically every imaginable creed—ranging from the old New England Congregational church in Kailua to the Buddhist, Taoist and Shinto shrines in Honolulu.

The most spectacular is the Mormon Temple at Laie on Oahu about 55 miles from Honolulu. Called "The Taj Mahal of the Pacific," this gleaming white edifice is built of a cement and lava mixture that shines like marble. It is surrounded by grounds beautifully landscaped with tropical plants and trees. You approach it by a series of ascending paths that flank four large pools of water.

On Kauai are three modern Catholic churches which are the result of the dreams and work of Father John MacDonald. Each church is startling in design, but my favorite was St. Silvester's which is circular in shape with an A-frame roof. Inside, the altar is placed at the center of the circle and the pews completely surround it. In Honolulu, too, you can see adaptations of the ancient A-frame in modern churches such as the United Church of Christ, the Calvary Lutheran, the Church of the Holy Nativity.

Hawaii also has its frescoes. St. Benedict's Church built in 1899 near Kailua, Kona, is a marvelous blend of traditional ecclesiastical decoration and native Hawaiian motifs. Murals in an almost primitive style depict the life of Christ while the slender

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parently careful workmanship may not hold up. For instance, furniture made in Europe, after being subjected to a sea voyage and the steam heat of American homes, has been known to develop splits in the wood or to come apart at the joints. Nowadays the best imported pieces are made according to American specifications for kiln-dried wood, moisture content of wood and the like. If in doubt ask your salesman about these points; he should have the information or be able to obtain it from the store buyer.

Whether a drawer glides easily or jerkily; whether it has dustproof panels, suspension or center-guide construction or none of these; whether its top edge is well finished or merely splashed over with a color somewhat like that of the surface stain—all these points will help you judge the quality of a table or chest. In fact, wood furniture, as compared with upholstered furniture, seems almost to flaunt its pedigree. Yet, even with upholstered pieces you can find clues to quality.

First, good upholstered furniture is labeled as to its make and its contents. Hair is a more resilient stuffing than cotton and a chair or sofa of good quality should contain some hair, unless it is upholstered with foam rubber. Goose down or foam rubber are the best fillings for cushions.

The upholstery stuffing should also be well distributed, so that even at the sides of a chair or sofa you cannot feel an empty spot between the fabric and the wood frame. The legs and frames should be of hard wood, well finished and braced by corner blocks so that they will not splay under the weight the piece will have to support over the years. Closely woven jute webbing and double-cone springs tied eight ways (ask the salesman about these) are some indication of sturdiness. But do not take any one construction method as an absolute guarantee of quality, because even good techniques can be badly executed. (On the other hand, some manufacturers, principally of modern furniture, have developed highly unconventional construction techniques which are just as durable as the traditional ones.)

There is, in fact, no foolproof way to judge furniture, for the look of quality in many respects can be closely simulated. But if you pay close attention to details, consider the manufacturer and the price (good hand labor does not come cheaply today), are clearly aware of your needs and—above all—decide whether you want a bargain or an heirloom, you should never be in the position of having bought a pig in a poke.

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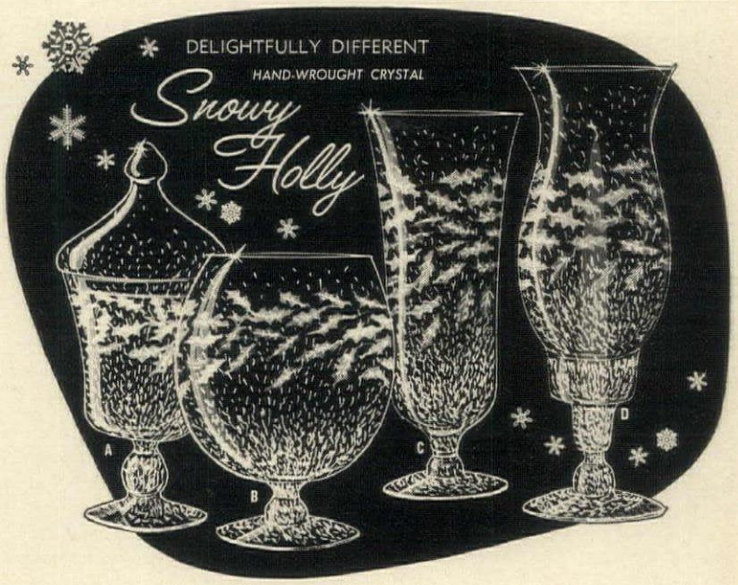


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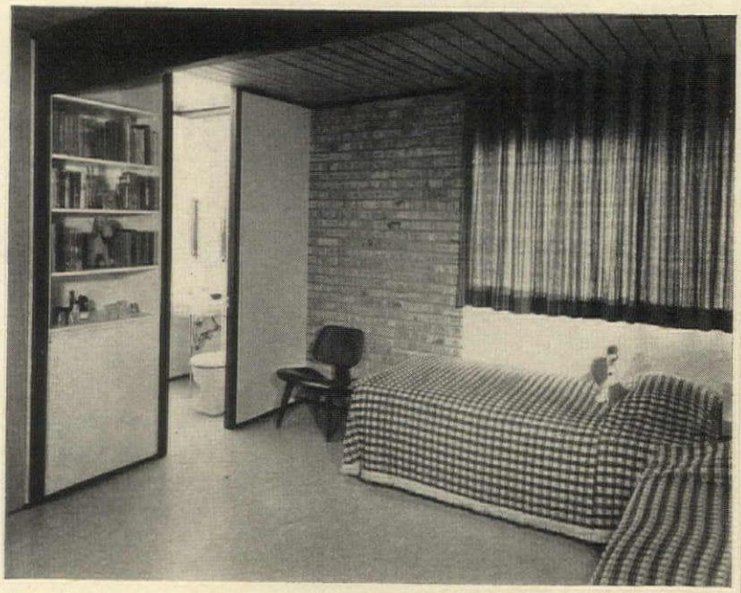
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A HOUSE THAT WORKS LIKE TWO

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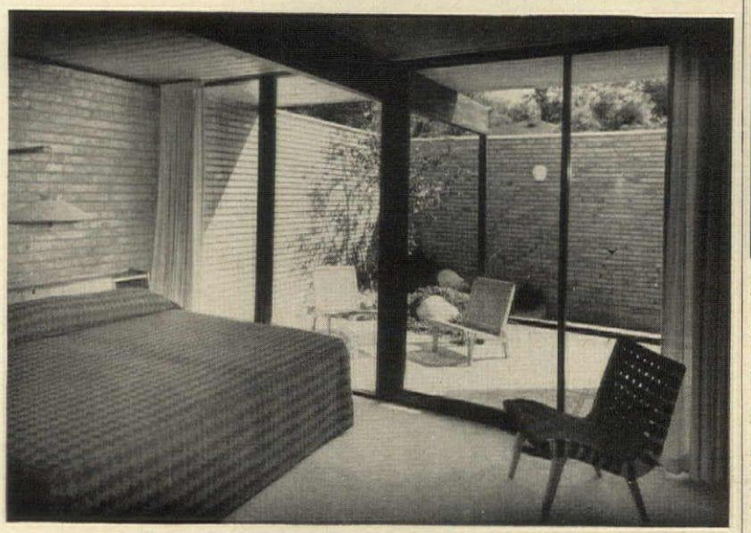


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Child's room is large enough for two beds so a friend can stay overnight. The vinyl floor in a marbleized pattern that doesn't show soil, the brick walls, the wood trim that eliminates dust-catching moldings, the built-in cabinets, all simplify upkeep.



Planning desk, located away from traffic at one end of kitchen, is equipped with wall telephone, drawers for recipe files, cook books, household bills, stationery. Countertop is white plastic to match the other counters.



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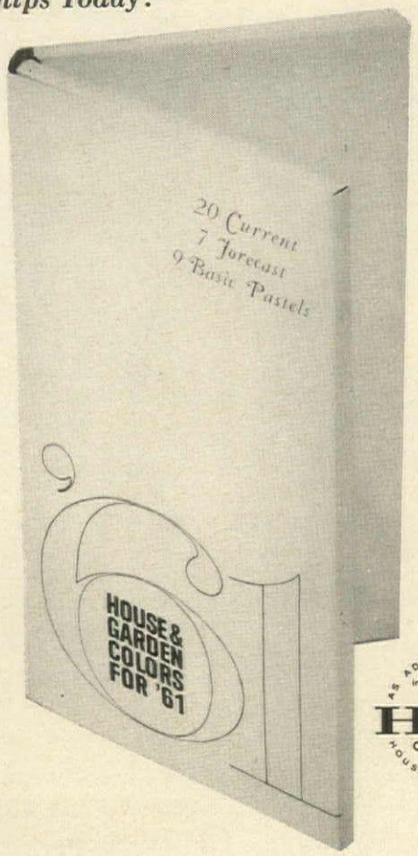
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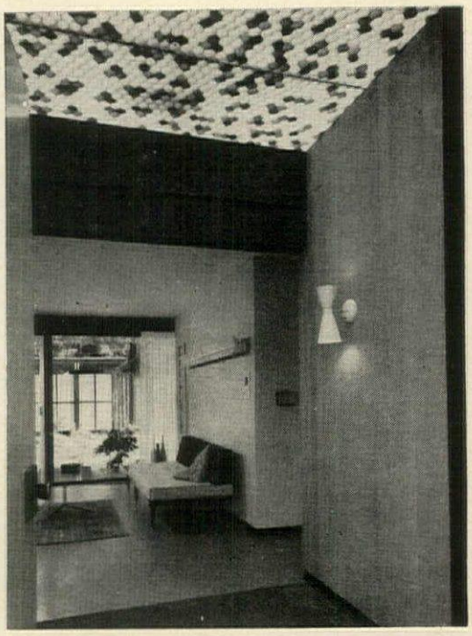
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A SMALL HOUSE THAT DOUBLES ITS SIZE

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Fine details, useful and handsome, mark a new house



A luminous ceiling lights the brick-paved entrance hall. Suspended above it is a translucent plastic sheet with a varicolored, geometric pattern. The plastic transmits light from fluorescent tubes attached to true ceiling overhead. In living room beyond, wall fixture over sofa gives down light for reading, upward light for general illumination of the room.



Dining room cabinet provides storage for china, glass and linen and also serves as a partition to screen the entrance hall from the dining area. The use of different colors for the frame, drawer fronts, shelves and inside of niche gives individuality to the built-in cabinetwork.

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Countertop lavatory is a luxurious feature of the parents' bathroom. The 7½′-long cabinet contains ample storage for towels, tissue and medical supplies. Above the plastic counter, and under wall-wide mirror, is an additional long cupboard for soap, medicines, etc. Perforated sliding doors ventilate this handy storage space.

BUILDING DATA

An outline of the materials and equipment in the houses on Pages 186 to 197 and the manufacturers who make them.

A house that works like two

(*see page 186*)

Foundation: Poured concrete—Material Service Corp. **Exterior Walls:** Wood siding; special burned common brick—Brisch Brick Co. **Roof:** Five ply built-up tar and gravel—Koppers Co. **Insulation:** Board insulation on exterior walls—Johns-Manville. **Doors:** Eight-feet-high hollow core birch—U. S. Plywood Corp. Front door custom made. **Windows:** Sliding aluminum type—Peterson Window Co. Steel frame sliding glass doors—Malibu Manufacturing Corp. **Glass:** "Thermopane"—Libby-Owens-Ford Glass Co. **Fireplace:** Welded sheet steel, custom built. **Interior Walls:** Outer walls, brick. Partitions, gypsum wallboard—U. S. Gypsum Co. **Ceilings:** Wood boards with milled tongue and groove joint—Weyerhaeuser Co. **Floors:** Living room, master bedroom, bath and dressing room are carpeted. "Rustic Corduroy"—Firth Carpet Co. Other rooms, vinyl roll flooring—"Corlon Tessera"—Armstrong Cork Co. Subfloor, ¾" plywood—U. S. Plywood Co. **Hardware:** Satin finish chrome—P. & F. Corbin Division, American Hardware Corp. Front door, brushed chrome—Schlage Lock Co. **Exterior Paints & Stains:** Deck, "Driftwood" stain—Pratt & Lambert. Bricks treated with silicon waterproofing—Dow Chemical Co. Wood siding dip stained. **Interior Paints:** Pratt & Lambert. Beams, dark brown stain—Samuel Cabot. Ceilings, "Driftwood" stain—Pratt & Lambert. **Lighting Fixtures:** Down lights—General Lighting Co. Ceiling bowls in kitchen, family room, utility room—A. W. Pistol Co. Living room "bubble"—Howard Miller Clock Co. Wall brackets—"Prescolite"—Pressteel Co. Fluorescent fixtures—Lightolier, Inc. **Heating, Air Conditioning System:** Gas fired, combination type—Arkle-Servel Co. Controls—Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co. **Hot Water Heater:** Rheem Manufacturing Co. **Bathroom Plumbing Fixtures:** Crane Co. **Kitchen Plumbing Fixtures:** Sink, stainless steel—Elkay Manufacturing Co. Countertops, stainless steel—Just Manufacturing Co. **Kitchen Equipment:** Cabinets—St. Charles Manufacturing Co. Countertops—Formica Corp. Dishwasher—Hotpoint Division of General Electric Co. Food waste disposer—Waste King Corp. Range—Thermador Electrical Manufacturing Co. Division of Norris-Thermador Corp. Refrigerator and freezer—Frigidaire Division, General Motors Corp. Exhaust fan—Ilg Electric Ventilating Co. **Laundry Equipment:** Washer, dryer—Maytag Co. **Architects, Interior Decorators:** Hueber & Henneberg. **Landscape Architect:** Theodore D. Brickman.

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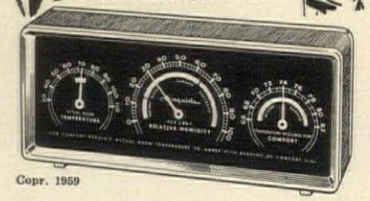
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(*see page 192*)

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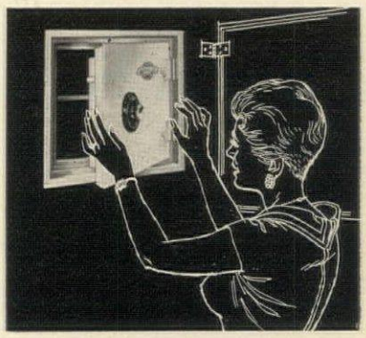
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PLAN YOUR GREENHOUSE TO SUIT YOUR SPECIAL NEEDS

While it is perfectly true that almost any greenhouse can be a thing of beauty and a joy forever (as implied on page 183), it is also true that a greenhouse will be of considerably more use if you tailor it to your horticultural inclinations than if you take it as it comes from the crate. Some people want their greenhouse to present a lovely picture to brighten winter living. Some want a climate-proof garden workshop. Some, bless them, want to combine the best features of each type—and will go to all kinds of ingenious trouble to achieve the desired result. The very term "greenhouse" is loose and general enough to cover anybody's ideas. And within the past decade or two, greenhouse manufacturers have put glass gardening within the reach of almost any home owner by making available a wide range of combinable greenhouse sections and an efficient list of dependable automatic equipment and controls. For a couple of hundred dollars you can make a start with a small lean-to outside a window. For half the cost of a "low-priced" automobile (Rolls-Royces are available, too) you can have an honest-to-goodness, completely equipped greenhouse, with automatic heat and ventilation. Best of all, you can assemble and erect most home (*Continued on page 256*)



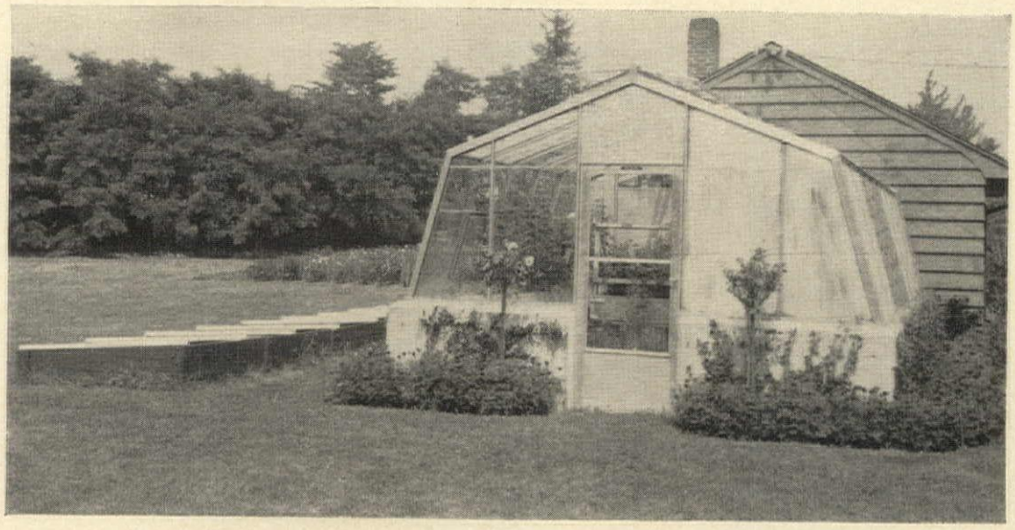
Picture greenhouse may and should be both efficient and decorative. Here, in the greenhouse off a living room in the Harold Trekells' Massachusetts house, a very happy effect is achieved by repeating in glass partition the shape of the greenhouse span (access door is provided just off camera to the left). While there is no theoretical limit to the closeness of the connection between glass house and living room, good greenhouse plants cannot be well grown unless real atmospheric separation such as this exists between the two areas. Plants on the window sill are rotated with others beyond glass.

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Greenhouse: a garden auxiliary or a way of gardening in itself? How to plan and equip yours to suit your needs. Also a varied assortment of year-end notes for November

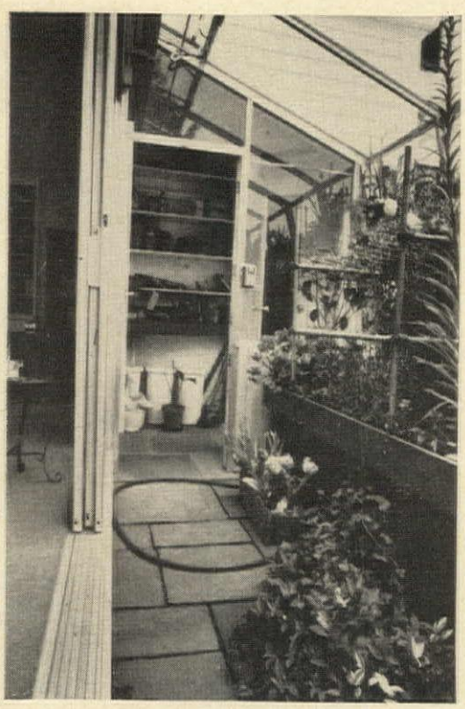
LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS: SHURCLIFF AND MERRILL



Working greenhouse at Falmouth Foreside on Maine coast includes efficient oil heater in "head house" to cope with hard winters. Greenhouse itself is of standard aluminum sections on masonry foundation. It has automatic heat and vent controls. House is supplemented by cold frames. Owners: Mr. and Mrs. George Pew.

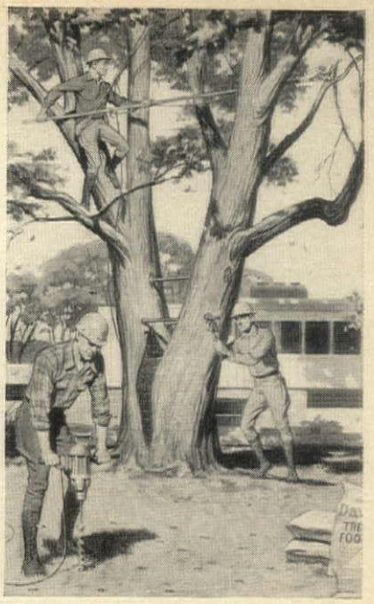
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In-or-out greenhouse shares sliding glass wall with living room and may be considered either a living solarium or, when closed off and with its own heat and ventilating controls in independent operation, an orthodox greenhouse. Photograph *left above* shows spacious garden effect obtained when partitions are drawn back. View from inside greenhouse, *right*, shows aluminum doors withdrawn on tracks at side, access door to well-equipped work room at end. Automatic controls assure efficient operation. Owners: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bowen, Concord, Mass.

For more about greenhouse equipment, see pages 256 and 257



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PLAN YOUR GREENHOUSE

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greenhouse units yourself—employing professionals only for such things as erecting masonry foundations and installing the utilities. (You will, of course, consult the manufacturer about type and size of heater and the kind of foundations and connecting structure required to adapt the greenhouse unit to your site.) When you get the makers' catalogues and specifications, you can work out with pencil and paper your own bill of materials, get your own local estimates for installation of heat and service lines, arrive at the total cost for as much greenhouse as you care to cope with.

Certain questions you must answer realistically. Can you place your greenhouse where it will receive *at least* a half day's full sun (morning in preference to afternoon) during the winter months? Do you have a dependable source of electric current? (Automatic heating will be impossible without electricity, automatic humidification and ventilation difficult if not impossible also.) Will running water be available? (A work sink as well as a hose tap is all but essential in anything but a pocket-size greenhouse). Will your greenhouse be easy to get to and work in during the hours you will be able to devote to its care? In choosing the location and equipment for your greenhouse, have you considered the comfort and convenience of members of your family whom you will expect to share the chores —and pleasures—of maintenance? And, finally, are you really a foul-weather gardener anyway?

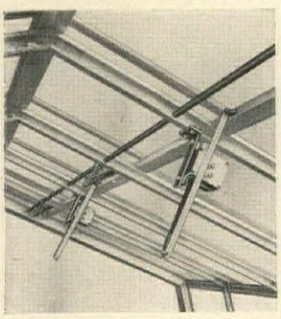
Whether you attach your greenhouse to your house or erect it as a separate structure depends in part on simple matters of practicality and convenience, in part on whether you want winter flowers to look at while they are growing or simply a place to grow or rest plants during cold weather. If you want a decorative greenhouse and can orient it properly, attach it to your house, preferably to a principal living room. A greenhouse designed for maximum production without frills may be better placed out behind the garage or in the middle of the working garden. The over-all odds are likely to favor the attached greenhouse. Choice between the "even-span" and lean-to styles is largely a matter of cost (lean-to is usually less expensive) and the nature of the structure to which the greenhouse is to be attached. Free-standing houses are generally of even-span design.

A brief rundown of the possible items of equipment, and their general area of usefulness, may be helpful:

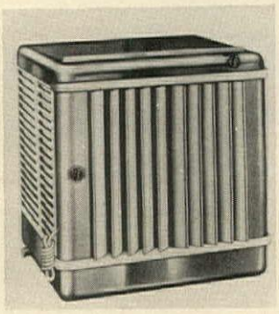
HEAT. Extend your house heating system if your heating contractor is sure it can provide whatever amount of heat the greenhouse manufacturer specifies for the structure you wish to buy. Hot water and steam systems should be readily adaptable. Warm air systems may be less satisfactory. For free-standing



No-vent heater is one of several available gas units that fit in wall or glass sections of small greenhouse, disperse heat inside, combustion fumes outside.



Ventilator motors operate on low voltage, are powerful enough to raise standard 5-foot roof vents, and have thermostatic controls.



Extra humidity is a major essential of good greenhouse growth, yet is seldom obtained without humidifier such as this.

greenhouses that are close enough to the source of heat, extensions of the house system may also be feasible. Separate greenhouse heat units—oil-fired or fueled by any kind of gas and vented outside the greenhouse—are likely to be best for detached greenhouses and may well be the best bets for any small installation. Electric heaters are likely to be more expensive to run than any others. In any case, provide thermostatic control of the heat your greenhouse needs, including any specially zoned compartments.

Summer coolers and air conditioners for greenhouses are worth investigating if you wish to go whole hog in greenhouse luxury at the outset. As you develop special interests in plants that may grow better in specially equipped greenhouses, either summer cooling or year round conditioning may become more necessary than luxurious. Where power sources are subject to interruption, a battery-powered safety alarm may prove to be an invaluable investment.

VENTILATION. Inexpensive thermostatically controlled motors that operate roof vents in home greenhouses are all but essential if routine care is not to become a burden. The simplest system raises the vents to predetermined limits when temperature rises above that called for by the thermostat. When the house has cooled to the proper temperature, the vents close. There are more elaborate controls that operate the vents continuously, maintain much steadier temperatures, cost a good deal more, and are required only for quite large greenhouses. Vents in walls and gables may be operated manually once or twice a day or left in fixed positions for considerable periods as conditions indicate.

HUMIDITY. Automatic humidifiers are a blessing. But while they are not expensive, they do cost money and may have to be passed by in closely figured budgets. In general, the colder your winters are, the more difficult it is to keep humidity levels adequate and the more helpful humidifying equipment is likely to prove. With certain kinds of flowers (many orchids, for example) and where relatively warm temperatures (55° to 60° or more at night) are required, more moisture will be needed to maintain high relative humidities than where greenhouse temperatures are low (say 45° to 50° at night).

WATERING. A cold-water hose tap is all but essential for any real walk-in greenhouse. If you can supply warm or hot water, too, so much the better—not only for tempering winter tap water but to facilitate pot washing. Automatic watering (there are several basic types) is, like air conditioning, in the luxury class for most greenhouse gardeners. But dependable equipment is available for direct bench watering, for sprinkling overhead or from bench-side, for subirrigation of soil benches, for supplying hydroponic or soilless culture tanks.

LIGHT. Good artificial light will enable you to work in and otherwise enjoy your greenhouse after dark. It should be consid-

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Special ventilation is nearly always required to supplement usual roof vents with automatic controls. Jalousie panels like that at *right* may be substituted for standard wall sections, are weather-tight when closed, open for full air.

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Summer cooling is inexpensively supplied by evaporative devices that can lower temperatures by as much as 15 degrees in hot weather. This type of unit may increase actual humidity of greenhouse, should not be confused with complete air conditioning.



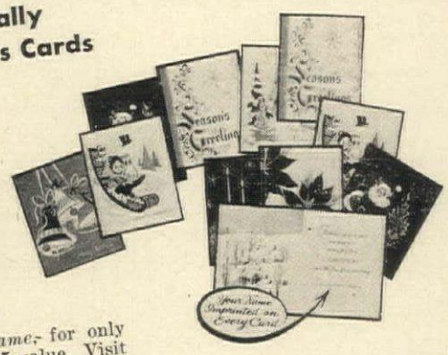
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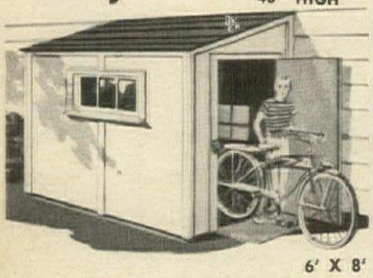


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First Weekend

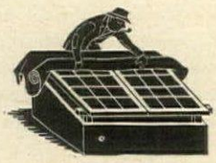
Stepless garden. Dead levels are always monotonous—unless you happen to be pushing a loaded wheelbarrow. Then even a single step up or down, especially up, can represent an all but insurmountable barrier along the garden path. For one thing, the wheel of the average garden barrow is too small in diameter to navigate a good-sized pebble without jolting. For another, even Paul Bunyan might have difficulty shoving a load of dirt up a flight of stone steps. The answer for most gardeners who cherish the pleasant irregularities of a sloping site is to provide ramp-like bypasses around their steps. It may not be feasible, of course, to sneak past *every* flight of steps, but you can contrive to build at least one sneak-path, if necessary through borders or among shrubs, to accomplish the same purpose by a roundabout route. And there is another side to the coin:

The slopeless garden. Where grades are either too gentle for pleasing variety or absent altogether, you may find it very much worth while to create the effect of a slope. Keep the business of the loaded wheelbarrow in mind, of course, and maintain a suitable service route on a single gradient. But as an esthetic addition, build a step or two into the path. A large flat rock or a section of an old railroad tie can often accent a change of level without requiring regrading in the adjacent ground at all. To a modest flight of such steps add a marked change of path direction and you can create almost the effect of a small hill. . . . In naturally rocky country, rearrangement of boulders can add still further to the up-and-down look. . . . And in well-drained land, you may practice another kind of happy deception by scooping a slight depression in an important path and piling the earth you remove on either side to enhance the contrast. . . . Then, perhaps, to abet this hill-and-dale trick, add a slight dose of false perspective—by narrowing the path arbitrarily as it climbs a slope or approaches a turn. It is surprising how much apparent distance you can add. *Trompe l'oeil* is the classic phrase for such eye-fooling nonsense. . . . There is, however, no nonsense about that loaded wheelbarrow.



Second Weekend

Icing the cake. Sometimes it is easier and more satisfactory generally to improve a garden bed by putting a whole layer of good soil on top rather than by enriching the soil already in place. Such a procedure may be worth while on at least three practical counts. First, it can provide a planting bed of any kind of soil you care to make, and in any reasonable planting depth. Second, it can assure good drainage where subsoil conditions are unfavorable to adequate moisture dispersal. Third, it can raise your plants several inches higher than they might otherwise stand. By improving the existing soil near the edge of the bed and building up the bed with good soil near the center, a considerable degree of showmanship may be possible. Azaleas come to mind as especially likely subjects for this kind of staging. And azaleas appreciate good drainage, too. . . . Beware permitting an impervious cut-off layer to exist when you raise bed levels in this way. An ample lateral root run with little depth is adequate for some plants—again azaleas, for example. But most plants will be badly checked if their descending roots either strike an impervious layer of hard ground or reach a waterlogged level, which is likely to be just as bad. . . . One further admonition: Don't raise your beds so high that they will erode into the paths, or that the paths will become impassably wet after a rain.



Third Weekend

Plant port. It is surprising how much protection from inclement weather you can give prized plants without resorting to special heating devices—provided the plants are small enough. It takes an amateur gardener a long time to realize how valuable in this connection a deep cold frame can be. By deep frame, of course, the experienced gardener means a cold frame of which the walls are either so high up or so deep down that tall pot plants may stand in them with the frame covering in place. For the average well-gardened home grounds—let's say a place that boasts perhaps a small greenhouse, a bay window full of house plants, and a couple of standard cold frames—a deep frame is all but essential. Here, on a bed of cinders or coarse gravel, pots of odd shapes and sizes may be set for safekeeping. Sometimes protection from frost and rain is all that is required. In some regions, heavy snows must be supported. Usually the plants you place in a deep frame should be kept in growth well into the fall season, then allowed to become gradually dormant—rather than checked all at once and covered before they have "ripened." To achieve this general end (with individual variations) try this: Build a 6-foot by 6-foot cold frame of 2-inch thick planks (this size will fit two standard cold-frame sash). Make the front wall *at least* 30 inches high above the gravel bed, the back wall 6 inches to a foot higher than that, for proper slope. Supported by four corner posts (of 2-by-3-inch or 1-by-4-inch size), erect two horizontal boards 6 inches or so above the front and back edges of the frame to support the glass during the autumn before winter weather closes in. Then provide a tarpaulin of duck or burlap—quilted or plain—that will be enough larger all round than the sash so that it will cover both glass and the side vents when it is rolled down at

night from its daytime position at the upper or north edge of the frame *(see drawing)*. . . . When winter comes for good, simply remove the corner supports, lower the sash on the frame and tie down the cover. . . . The best part of this contraption is that it will prove immensely useful and that everybody who makes it will inevitably improve upon it.



Fourth Weekend

Lilac dividend. Late fall is lilac planting time. Now the bushes have lost their season's leaves, formed next spring's flower buds, ripened their branches and become dormant. More than other popular shrubs lilacs respond best to transplanting at this time. Most gardens would be the better for it if their owners would adopt a policy of planting at least one new lilac each fall—either one of the recently proven hybrids (there is even a near-yellow available now) or some of the dependable species and natural variants. Dig a proper hole—at least 6 inches deeper and 2 feet wider than the spread of the roots. Enrich the earth with compost, leafmold or peatmoss, and dried cattle manure. Lace the mixture with ground limestone (a quart or so is not too much). Firm the earth well as you fill around the shrub. And *then* (this is really why we brought the whole matter up) scatter a bagful of crocus bulbs around the lilac just before you put in the last 3 inches of earth. . . . Here is double insurance that spring will return.

Reading notice: Sydney B. Mitchell's *Iris for Every Garden* (Barrows, $4.95) has been updated and reissued. First published eleven years ago, it was then, and is now, the best general guide to success with the most common iris types and varieties. . . . The gardener who specializes in succulents will enjoy E. Shurley's *Cacti* (Abelard-Schuman, $4.50). The author, a leading figure in British cactus circles, has a tortured literary style but a vast knowledge of his subjects. The illustrations (all drawings, in both black and white and color) are helpful and attractive. This is not so much a beginner's guide as a fill-in for the real amateur's shelf. . . . *Contemporary Perennials* (Macmillan, $6.95) is a welcome addition to the general gardening lists by two able authorities, Roderick W. Cumming, proprietor of the renowned Bristol Nurseries, and Robert E. Lee, Professor of Floriculture at the Cornell College of Agriculture. This is an orderly, sensibly inclusive discussion of the growing and selection of perennials, their advantageous use in beds and borders, the available species and varieties. There are pleasant line drawings by Alianora Rosee.

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ered an essential (and no great problem, since you will need a source of electric current for heating and other controls). Light is important not only for evening work, but for after-dark enjoyment of your plants, especially in attached greenhouses and those visible from living rooms of your house. Lights to stimulate or retard plant growth are not considered in the foregoing comments.

COSTS. Details about cost ranges, for the greenhouses themselves and for available equipment, could be neither accurate nor especially helpful here. It is enough to say that the total cost may well be less than you think. But with all due respect for the rugged souls who have made working greenhouses out of a few old storm windows and a kerosene stove, H&G advises against makeshift installations that will invite trouble. (A single especially cold night, one bad storm or hitch in the maintenance schedule, and the work of several seasons can be wiped out.) The monetary investment you make will be no better than the equipment you buy, so take time to plan carefully. There are several reliable manufacturers of home greenhouses and greenhouse equipment. Some provide national distribution; others distribute regionally. H&G can help you locate convenient sources.

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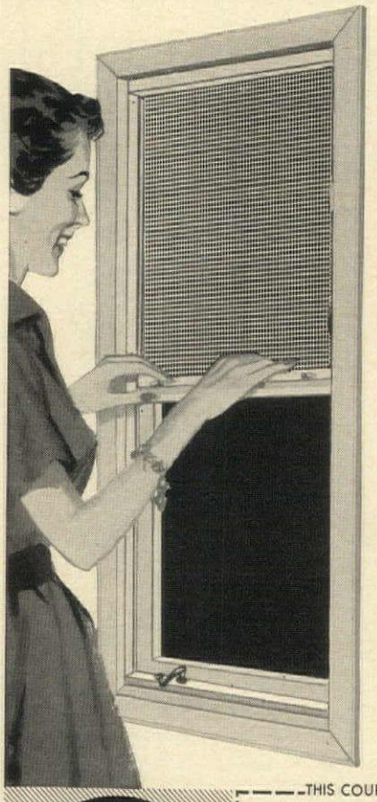


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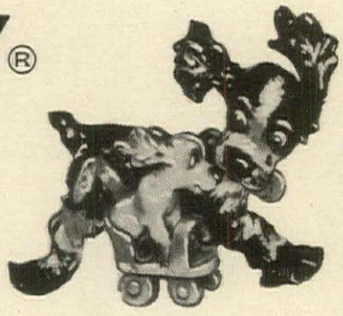
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Oahu, the gathering place

My last few days in Hawaii were spent sunning, swimming and sightseeing on the island of Oahu. With some friends, I rented a little jeep, painted pink, with pink-and-white striped awning. This is the most economical way to get around the islands, as gas is expensive, and the rakish, gaudy little vehicles lend a gay holiday air to the whole proceedings.

We drove through the beautiful residential sections of Diamond Head where all the houses, whatever the architectural style, have one thing in common—they face the sea as surely as a plant reaches to the sun. We went as far out as Koko Head, where Henry Kaiser is building his fabulous city of Hawaii Kai on 6000 acres of breath-taking mountain and ocean-side scenery. A total of 12,000 dwellings, ranging from luxurious mansions to moderately priced houses is under construction there, along with shopping areas, schools, golf courses, a yacht harbor, polo field, luxury hotels and cooperative apartment houses. On an island where real estate is at a premium and major building projects are rapidly diminishing the beautiful scenery, Hawaii Kai is a most stupendous project.

One day, after lunch at Fisherman's Wharf, I was crossing the street to take a bus back toward Waikiki when I noticed an old wooden building, painted green, with the sign "Bamboo Window" on it. I went in to investigate and by the time I got out, my traveler's checkbook was considerably lighter in my pocket.

This huge shop, so unprepossessing from the outside, contains merchandise gathered from all over the Eastern world: the Philippines, the Marianas, Taiwan, Fiji, Samoa, Japan, Hong Kong, New Zealand. The articles range from little toys to magnificent oriental furniture made out of caning and teak wood, old Japanese scrolls and screens, rattan furniture of all shapes and sizes (including those lovely huge chairs so popular in movies set in the tropics), ceramics, fabrics, tapa cloth, lanterns and who knows what else. The shop even stocks such exotica as war masks, spears and shields from the less civilized islands which might make interesting decorations for a family room.

From the Bamboo Window I went to see the new Ala Moana shopping center which contains the most lavish and up-to-date stores on the islands. The third largest shopping center in the world, it cost about $28,000,000 to build and has parking space for 5000 cars. The stores range from Sears, Roebuck to little shops offering native and oriental goods. There is also a giant supermarket where you can buy canned poi and frozen *mahimahi* (dolphin), as well as a complete children's amusement center and a music store where you can pick up a ukulele or a recording of native music to play as you show your slides of Hawaii to patient friends.



A restaurant for two people only is located 75' high in the branches of a huge banyan tree at Waikiki Beach.

I also visited the International Market Place which is located on five acres right in the heart of Waikiki Beach. On its handsomely landscaped grounds are several restaurants—including the famous Don the Beachcomber's—and numerous shops, Polynesian in design, catering almost exclusively to needs and desires of tourists.

Here also is located the banyan tree which contains what is advertised as the "World's Most Exclusive Restaurant." It seats exactly two people, honeymooners presumably, or loving couples of any age. The happy twosome climb a staircase following the contours of the 100-year-old tree to the little restaurant which is 8 feet by 10 feet and 75 feet above the ground. The floor is covered with pandanus mats. On three sides are

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louvers made of thatched pandanus, and the ceiling is made of lapped thatch. The price for the evening is $35 which includes dinner and two bottles of French champagne. The menu offers such exotic items as baby squab marinated in butter and herbs and stuffed with curried quail eggs. Once guests are in, gates lock automatically to insure privacy.

When the time came to turn in my jeep, I drove it back to the Hawaiian Village Hotel, then browsed around the shops there and stopped in one called simply "The Gallery" which shows and sells paintings by many of the young artists of the islands. There were, among modern, abstract paintings, some lovely Polynesian seascapes by such artists as Richard Nelson, Shirley Russell and John Kelly. Also for sale, and very popular with tourists, was a portfolio of four lithographs called "Prints of Paradise", the work of Jule H. Kullberg.

I bought a set, walked around the hotel grounds looking for the last time at its lanais, swimming pools, beach-side cocktail bars, large swaying palms and the view of the yacht harbor on one side and the omnipresent but ever-lovely Diamond Head on the other. I sighed, pretended for one glorious moment that I was Geno of Kona gone native and free, sighed again and went up to my room to pack.

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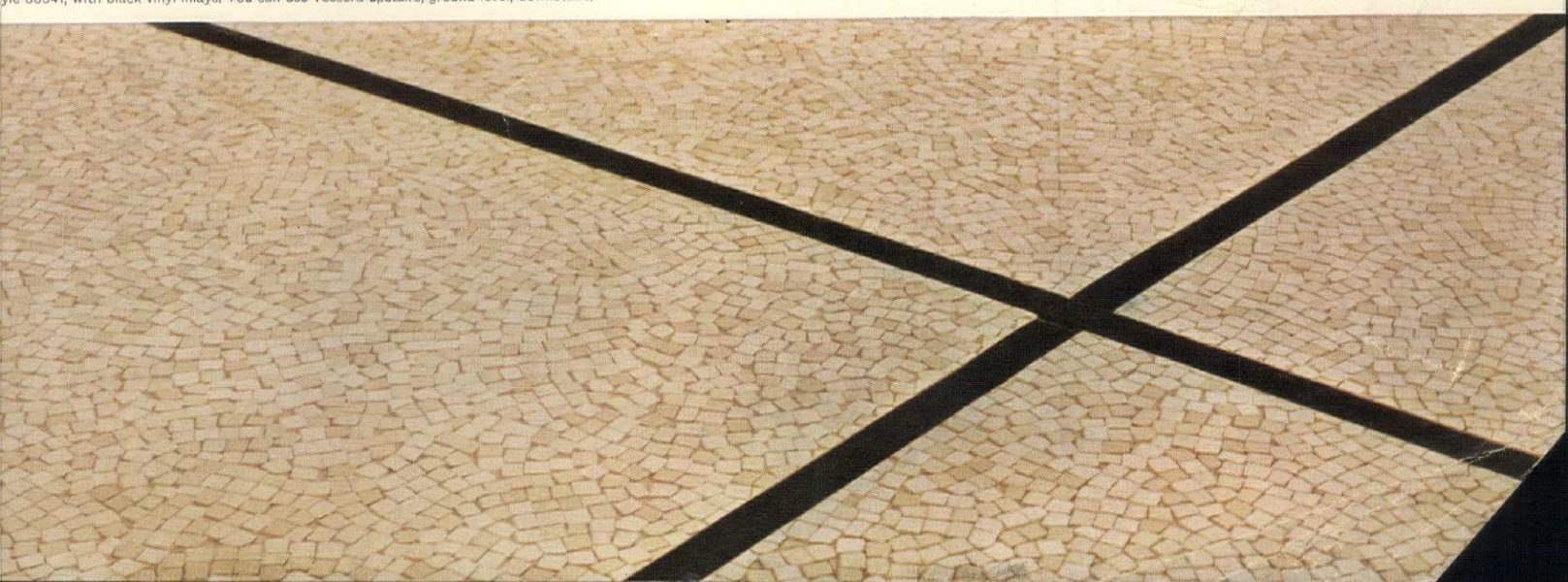
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